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DECLARES GUSTAV BAUCH WAS KILLED BY VILLA'S ORDER

New Mexican Tells House Committee Cousin Was in Same Cell.

SAYS BENTON WENT UNARMED

Three Men Confined Together in One Room, he Declares; Bauch and Another Taken Out and Executed, But His Cousin Was Afterward Released.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—That Gustav Bauch, the American, was executed by Pancho Villa at Juarez was declared today before the House foreign affairs committee by El Paso Baca of Albuquerque, N. M., once candidate for Congress. Baca testified Bauch was in the same cell with a cousin of his J. J. Baca of New Mexico, and a third man. Bauch and the other man were taken out and executed, according to the cousin's story, which Baca related.

The cousin was released. Villa had imprisoned him because he didn't like the look of his hat. Benton, the Englishman executed by Villa, went to an end to Juarez on the visit which ended in his execution Baca declared.

"Carranza lives in fear of Villa," said Baca. "So much so that he would not sleep in the same room with him."

He praised the supporters of Huerta and declared Villa's men were fighting for plunder. Baca was presented to the committee by Representative Ainey, Republican, of Pennsylvania.

Gen. Carranza has consented to have American consuls look after the interests of foreigners in parts of Mexico where they have no consular representatives. Where there are such representatives, he suggested that even where their governments have recognized Huerta, these consuls may unofficially communicate with him without involving their governments.

Also, he suggests his willingness to listen and heed any applications made to him directly by the friends and relatives of foreigners whose lives and property may be threatened and to make investigation of any case and to punish any of his followers who may be culpable.

This is the substance of a telegraph report made to Secretary Bryan by Consul Sempich at Nogales.

CHIHUAHUA, March 14.—"Villa, the one time bandit, will be the next president of Mexico. That is his ambition and despite all reports to the contrary, it will remain his ambition until he is either dead or president."

This declaration was made today by a friend so close to Villa as to give authority to the assertion. It was prompted by reports that the coming to Chihuahua of General Carranza, recognized as the civil head of the revolution, was to bring about conditions more satisfactory to foreign governments and to place on the seat of authority better advisers than General Villa appears to have had in handling complications growing out of the killing of William S. Benton.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 14.—"Old as I am, and I am 103, I would like to take another shot at the Mexicans," declared James Sutton, who yesterday walked three miles from his home at Stallsville, near here. Sutton is a veteran of the Mexican War and a former Indian fighter.

APPLICANTS SCARCE

Few Anxious to Get on Police Force With Shakeup Impending.

Mayor Marietta did not appoint a patrolman to fill the vacancy existing on the police force. George Francis, who went on duty Thursday night, when Patrolmen Barnes and Francis quit, is continuing in that capacity until Monday night when the mayor will put his appointment up to council for ratification.

"It's a pretty hard matter to find anybody that sizes up to the job," declared the mayor this morning, when asked regarding the vacancies. There is a dearth of applicants, the general impression seeming to prevail that a shakeup in the force is due to come within a short time and no one cares to give up one job to serve on the force with no assurance that appointment will be permanent.

VIOLENCE AMONG STRIKERS.

West Virginia Sheriff Takes Additional Measures to Preserve Peace.

By Associated Press.

WEST SHERRY, W. Va., March 14.—Disorder growing out of the strike of 400 employes of the West Virginia & Pittsburg Coal Company at Colliers today, prompted Sheriff Patterson of Brooke county to take additional measures to preserve the peace.

Five armed negroes, said to be strikebreakers, were arrested during the night after a riotous street outbreak and while their hearings was in progress the house occupied by the strikebreakers near the La Belle mine was fired on by unknown parties and burned. Shooting and cutting affrays have been of frequent occurrence.

His Back Injured.

Samuel Slegner of Marietta was admitted to the Cottage State Hospital yesterday afternoon for treatment of an injury to his back suffered while at work in the mines. He is 28 years old.

HORDE OF MILITANTS SMASH PANES AT SECRETARY'S HOME

"I Wouldn't Have Given Much for Him, Had We Got Inside," One Tells Judge.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, March 14.—A detachment of militants armed with hatchets and hammers smashed every pane of glass on the ground floor of the home of Reginald McKenna, home secretary, in Smith Square today. Six women arrived in an automobile and took by surprise the policeman who keeps continual guard over the homes of the state ministers.

All of those who took part in the attack were arrested as they were leaving. The six women gave false names. They were later arraigned at Westminster police court and sentenced to two months at hard labor. Mr. McKenna left town for the week end yesterday.

The policemen who had been on guard at the residence testified that the women "crept stealthily in Indian file along the side of the wall and then made a rush for the windows." One of the prisoners said in court, "I wouldn't have given much for Mr. McKenna if we had got inside."

The magistrate in passing sentence said he had never heard a sadder or more deplorable story than that which had been told to the court. "Rot," exclaimed one of the women.

Mrs. Emeline Pankhurst was again released from jail today. She started a hunger and thirst strike immediately after her arrest on Sunday last and was very weak and exhausted.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Mar. 14.—A militant suffragett arson squad set the torch to the tennis club house at the Oldton Club, five miles from here, early today. The building was burned to the ground.

OVERRULES GOVERNOR TENER

Judge Ruppel Discharges Prisoner and Ignores Extradition Papers.

Special to The Courier.

SOMERSET, March 14.—Judge Ruppel yesterday handed down an opinion in the Dennis Mankamler habeas corpus case, in which Mankamler is released from custody, although his extradition on requisition paper from the state of Nebraska was granted by Governor Tener several weeks ago.

Mankamler was arrested here on a charge of desertion brought by his wife, who lives in Lincoln, Neb. Subsequently Deputy Sheriff H. H. Antles of Lincoln came east with requisition papers from the governor of Nebraska asking for the return of Mankamler, and the same were approved at Harrisburg.

Antles, without waiting for the completion of legal formalities, kidnaped Mankamler from the Somerset jail. He hurried his prisoner to Latrobe by automobile, where he was arrested when about to board a train that would have taken him out of the state. Mankamler was returned to Somerset, where he secured a writ of habeas corpus.

Judge Ruppel finds that Mankamler is not a fugitive from justice, and consequently cannot be extradited. Judge Ruppel also determines that the local court is authorized to review the extradition proceedings, and in such review discovers that the grounds for extradition are insufficient. The kidnaping charge against Antles is pending in criminal court.

JEWELRY STORE ROBBED

Burglars Smash Plate Glass Window of Mount Pleasant Firm.

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, March 14.—Burglars early today smashed the plate glass window of Myer Posner's jewelry store on Main street and escaped with $50 worth of opera glasses and flashlights. Mr. Posner had removed the more valuable articles and placed them in his safe over night.

Miss Nellie Rupert, who occupies apartments over the Posner store, heard the crash of falling glass between 4 and 5 o'clock this morning. She thought the noise came from the bakery nearby. She did not investigate.

The men escaped without leaving the police any clues to work on. Posner announced that he would pay a reward of $100 for the arrest and apprehension of the robbers.

PICK THEIR TICKET.

Prohibitionists Are in the Field in Somerset County.

Special to The Courier.

SOMERSET, March 14.—At a convention yesterday the following Prohibition candidates were nominated: State Senator, Prof. J. C. Speicher, of Berlin; Assembly, Attorney James B. Landis of Somerset, and Rev. J. S. English of Stoystown; member of state committee, A. Beam Sellers of Somerset.

The convention did not endorse a candidate for Congress to head the party ticket in the Somerset-Fayette-Greene district. A candidate for Congress will be nominated at a joint conference of the executive committees of the three counties to be held in Uniontown next Thursday.

Assembling Material.

Material for the erection of a business block to be erected by J. L. Snider in the rear of his Main street building is on the way and work will be commenced by the South Connellsville Lumber Company as soon as the foundation is completed.

Famous Church Burns.

DUSSELDORF, Germany, Mar. 14. The famous Thirteenth century Church of St. Quirinus four miles from here, burst into flames at 6 o'clock and the greater part of the edifice was destroyed.

SURRENDER OF U. S. RIGHTS IN PANAMA BITTERLY OPPOSED

Congressman Declares Sims Bill Would Forfeit Control.

FLAYS POLICY OF THE PRESIDENT

Points to Cleveland's Attitude on Venezuelan Question as Opposed to "Peace at Any Price" Diplomacy; Nation's Rights are Now at Stake.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Vigorous denunciation of the Sims bill, which he characterizes as a notice to the world that the United States abandoned its policy of an American-controlled Panama Canal and virtually surrendered its power to regulate its commerce because of the new "Peace-at-any-price policy," featured a minority report to the House today by Representative Knowland of California against repeal of the tolls exemption clause of the Panama Canal act. The interstate commerce committee, of which he is a member, has favorably reported the Sims bill proposing a flat repeal.

A situation unparalled and unprecondented in history now confronts this nation. The passage of the Sims bill will give a British interpretation to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty and thus surrender for all time, rights vitally affecting this nation commercially, strategically and politically.

"Thousands of patriotic Americans insist that we cannot maintain our National honor in the present controversy if we abjectly surrender every American right at Panama. The history of this country would have been less glorious had we failed to urge our contention even when fully convinced of our right. When the Venezuela case stirred the nation, it was a mistake, according to this new "peace-at-any-price-policy," for President Grover Cleveland in a message that commanded the respect of the world to declare: 'Today the United States is practically sovereign upon this continent and its fiat is law upon the subjects to which it confines its interposition.'"

The report warned the Interstate Commerce Commission and members of the House that by the Sims bill it would forever foreclose the right of the United States to pass through the canal without payment of tolls either battleships, revenue cutters, colliers, transports or other government craft.

HAS LIGHTING SCHEME

Councilman Hooper Waits for Commerce Chamber to Make a Move.

Councilman Thomas J. Hooper has the data on the street illumination plan ready for submission to the Chamber of Commerce at any time that organization gets a quorum to go over the matter. Mr. Hooper is anxious to have suggestions from business men before putting his plan before council.

That pedestal lights should be used in the down town district is Mr. Hooper's view, and his plans are laid with a view to the extension of the system until it will ultimately include the main thoroughfares of the city. He hopes eventually to give Connellsville a "Great White Way" along both Main and Pittsburg streets, from one end of the city to the other.

The first steps, if any are taken, will be to try out the system in the down town section. Mr. Hooper believes the first trial should include a greater area than merely a short stretch on Main street.

RECOVER 23 BODIES.

Only Charred Bones Now in Ruins of St. Louis Fire.

By Associated Press

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 14.—A number of charred bones, but no whole bodies were taken from the ruins of the Missouri Athletic Club this morning. Twenty-three victims of the great fire of Monday morning had been recovered last night.

The exact number of dead will probably never be known as the number and condition of the bones found indicate that several of the dead were almost completely cremated. Of the 23 recovered, 17 have been identified.

AFTER THIEVES AGAIN.

"Turkey" Morris and Bloodhounds Sent Out on Morgan Valley Case.

"Turkey" Morris and his two bloodhounds who ran down nine South Connellsville chicken thieves, were called on again today to go to Morgan Station to trail thieves who robbed the general store of Klingensmith brothers during the night.

"Turkey" and the dogs were sent from the county jail at Uniontown by Warden Newcomer and they arrived in town at 1.30 o'clock. They boarded No. 35 leaving here at 2 o'clock and immediately got down to business.

The telephone message to the jail informed the warden that a considerable quantity of meats and groceries had been stolen.

Bishop Dies.

TRENTON, N. J., March 14.—The Rt. Rev. John Scarborough, D. D., Protestant Episcopal bishop of New Jersey, died at his home here today after a short illness. He is 88 years old.

FRED WIANT PLEADS GUILTY TO RECEIVING STOLEN MONEY

Brother of Missing Express Messenger Admits Getting Most of the Cash Taken.

UNIONTOWN, March 14.—After court adjourned yesterday afternoon, Fred B. Wiant, brother of Ralph Wiant, the absconding express messenger, entered a plea of guilty to the charge of receiving stolen goods. Sentence was deferred.

The plea of guilty was made after a conference with Wiant's attorney, D. M. Hertzog, and Detective Joseph Mayhew of New York; J. A. Armstrong, cashier of the Second National Bank of Connellsville; G. R. Zimmerman, agent at that place; S. R. Smith, division superintendent of the United States Express Company at Cumberland; and District Attorney S. Ray Shelby.

Wiant admits having received a package containing $12,060 from Ralph Wiant on the night the latter disappeared. The police and detectives recovered $11,140 hidden in the cellar of the Wiant home on Washington avenue. Of this Fred Wiant declares that $80 found in a dresser upstairs, belonged to him personally. He declares that his brother must have kept $940 of the stolen money.

Joseph Zernis was convicted of breaking into the W. J. Rainey store at Royal last December and stealing $648. He implicated E. G. Kaiser, a payroll clerk, as an accomplice, but Kaiser denied the charge and was a witness against the youth. The boy was captured in Pittsburg some weeks after the robbery and had but 10 cents.

Cy Jackson, a negro, was convicted of stealing a horse from Parker Scott of Uniontown. Jackson sold the horse to Joseph Mervis of Connellsville for $25, although it was worth $175. Immediately after the case was concluded, Mervis was placed on trial for buying the stolen animal.

CRACKSMEN GET $15,000

Bind and Gag Four Watchmen and Blow Open Safe.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, March 14.—Five armed robbers broke into the mail order branch of the S. W. Hartman Furniture Company here early today, blew open the safe, threw aside valuable securities, discarded $40,000 in money orders and escaped with $15,000 cash, the weekly payroll of the company.

Leaving a guard outside, the four men bound and gagged a watchman in the basement. Two more employes were also surprised and bound and gagged. The robbers then blew off the safe door with nitro glycerine.

When the watchmen failed to punch their hourly report, a special watchman of the telegraph company was sent to the building. The outside guard covered him with a revolver and escorted him within the building where he was bound and gagged and left with the three other watchmen.

BIG SHOWS COMING.

May Irwin in "A Widow by Proxy" and "Stop Thief" at Soisson.

The booking agency through which the Soisson Theatre secures its attractions recently changed hands, M. Reis selling out his holdings to Morton Cohn for $200,000.

The new syndicate means a higher class of shows for Connellsville theatregoers. Two of them already scheduled are May Irwin, the celebrated comedienne, in "A Widow by Proxy," supported by an excellent company, on April 2, and "Stop Thief" which played at the Nixon Theatre, Pittsburg, this week, on the night following. Other shows of this calibre will also appear.

WESTINGHOUSE BURIED.

Hundred Thousand Persons Drop Their Tasks During Services.

Special to The Courier.

NEW YORK, March 14.—A hundred thousand men and women dropped their tasks today as a tribute to George Westinghouse, whose genius gave them the means of livelihood. The great inventor of the airbrake was buried here today while machinery stood idle in a dozen factories in America and Europe.

Twenty-five thousand Westinghouse employes laid aside their tools in Pittsburg alone. The funeral services were held this afternoon at the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church and the burial was at Woodlawn cemetery.

HE FINALLY PAYS.

Man Spends Night in Jail Before Settling Board Bill Case.

Because he absconded a board bill, Pasquale Fantuzzi had to spend the night in jail and pay the bill and the alderman's costs. Maria Morillo of the West Side was the prosecutor. She claims that Fantuzzi had boarded there and left before he paid.

When Pasquale was ordered to pay the costs he refused and Alderman Cochran was obliged to lodge him in jail for the night. Pasquale was arrested at his Vanderbilt home by Constable Smith Grimm.

THE WEATHER FORECAST.

Cloudy tonight, Sunday fair. Brisk and high southwest winds, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

	1914	1913
Maximum	47	73
Minimum	27	57
Mean	37	65

The Yough river fell from 2.30 to 2.10 feet during the night.

B. & O. MEN REVIVE CO-OPERATIVE IDEA FOR A STORE HERE

Circulate Petition for Stock Subscriptions Among Railroaders.

FORMER EFFORT WAS FAILURE

Merchants Deny Statements That They Tried to Have Passes Taken Away from Employes' Families, or Interfered With Pay-Day Schedule.

The co-operative store idea is being revived among the employes of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and stock subscriptions are being solicited among the men of the Connellsville and Pittsburg divisions. It is said that the venture is meeting with considerable success, in spite of the fact that a prior venture failed after a brief experiment. A few years ago a co-operative store was opened on the South Side by the railroad men, but it went out of business after a few months.

For the past month there has been considerable agitation against local merchants by some of the railroad men. Reports were circulated that business men endeavored to prevent the rescinding of the rule barring employes' families from enjoying passes, and that they have also endeavored to induce the railroad to pay their men on any day but Saturday.

A poll of the leading merchants was made by The Courier today in an effort to determine whether these reports had any foundation. In fact, They were a unit in declaring that no such action had been taken.

"It would be absurd," said one of them, "I am sure that any efforts on our part regarding the time for paying their men would have no influence with railroad officials. For my part, I have never interfered with the matter of paydays or of passes. There has certainly been no concerted move on the part of Connellsville business men to interfere with the relations of the railroad men and their employers, and I doubt whether there has been any individual action along this line."

Merchants say this story was first circulated for campaign purposes during the recent election, and that it is without foundation.

No definite outline has been made as to the plans of those interested in the co-operative store. The co-operative plan has not been generally successful in this county. Stockholders get their purchases at fair prices and dividends are paid out of the profits.

WATERING TROUGH ASSURED

Chamber of Commerce Agrees to Maintain It for Farmers' Benefit.

A public watering trough for benefit of horses driven in and out of town each day, will be instituted by the Chamber of Commerce shortly, following the suggestion advanced by a country subscriber of The Courier. Two members of the board of directors declared this morning, when shown a letter from the farmer noting the necessity for such a trough, declared that if the farmers would get together and agree upon a suitable location for it the Chamber of Commerce would see to it that one was constructed and maintained.

The man who suggests the watering place declares that almost every city or town has a public fountain of some kind where live stock may be watered, and he intimates that Connellsville in its hurry to become a "city beautiful" and an industrial center, may overlook this "little thing."

It was suggested today that a mountain spring out at the end of Fairview avenue might be piped and used to supply a trough at that point, but the chamber will leave the matter up to the farmers to suggest the best location.

MUST GO TO WORK.

Oregon Town Will Oust Idlers Who Refuse to Accept Jobs.

By Associated Press.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 14.—Although Chief of Police John Clark planned yesterday to close at once the tabernacle where 500 idle men have lodged during the winter, it was decided later at a conference with Mayor H. R. Albee to postpone the action.

April 1 probably will be the date on which the men will be driven out and forced to accept employment or leave the city. The plan to rout the unemployed yesterday was the outgrowth of the refusal of most of them to go to work as section hands for the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation Company.

WILL ENLARGE PLANT.

Kentucky Coke Company is Having a Prosperous Year.

The Allegheny Coke Company, which succeeded the Mitchell Coal Company in developing Kentucky coal, operates 150 ovens, which convert its entire output into coke, which is marketed and consumed within a radius of 200 miles of the mines.

Nine thousand tons of coke were shipped during last year after June 1, with only a part of the ovens completed. The company contemplates doubling its capacity this year, using 300 ovens, and getting out a correspondingly increased amount of coal.

BENJAMIN BATES' BODY FOUND IN YOUGH RIVER

Railroader Discovers Missing Dawson Man in Icy Waters Near That Place.

The body of Benjamin B. Bates, who strangely disappeared from his home in Lower Tyrone township a month ago today, was found in the Youghiogheny river about a mile from Dawson this afternoon about 1.30 o'clock by a railroad man. Funeral Director W. H. Parkhill of Dawson was notified and the body was removed to his establishment and prepared for burial. It was later taken to the Bates home.

Bates was a son of Benjamin Bates a well known farmer living about two miles north of Dawson. He left home late Saturday afternoon a month ago, saying he might go to the home of his brother Harry at Layton for over Sunday. His strange disappearance remained a mystery until the finding of the body this afternoon. Bates' absence during the early part of the week caused no alarm among his relatives, but when the end of the week came and he had not returned his family became alarmed and since then every effort possible was made to locate the missing man. He was a member of the Moose Lodge of Vanderbilt and every lodge of that order in the country has been diligently searching for him.

It was learned that Bates did not visit his brother or his sister, Mrs. Pierce Rhodes at Jacobs Creek, but on the Saturday he left home he went to Dawson and was seen there at 5 o'clock that night. Nobody seemed to know whether he started home or in some other direction. A party of searchers started out following his disappearance and followed the route by the Cunningham school house on the way to the Bates home, but no trace of the missing man was found. Foul play was suspected.

Bates was unmarried and was 24 years old. He worked on his father's farm and is well known in and around Dawson.

PREFERRED THE WHISKEY

"Chemist," Under Arrest, Offers His Own Preparation in Exchange.

Harry Collins of Pittsburg, aged 75 years, who declared that he is a chemist and the perpetrator and sole manufacturer of a famous "German Remedy for Rheumatism," in proof of which he exhibited a green circular extolling the merits of the concoction, was arrested by Patrolman Stump on Water street last night for drunkenness.

When arraigned before Mayor Marietta this morning, Collins pleaded that he be discharged declaring that he had never been arrested before and giving as references as to his integrity and uprightness, a number of prominent Pittsburgers, among them former Mayor William A. Magee, some of whom were quite fond of his remedy, he said.

The mayor could not see it that way, however, and sentenced Collins to 48 hours in the lockup. As he was being taken back to the cells, another prisoner suddenly developed an attack of delirium tremens and the police hastened to give the patient whiskey "to settle his nerves." Collins suggested that they give the sick man a dose of his remedy and let him have the whiskey.

WANTS FLOODS PREVENTED.

Memphis Man Proposes to "Double Track" the Mississippi.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Before the Senate commerce committee today considering means of preventing Mississippi river floods, S. L. Lake of Memphis, Tenn., proposed a "double tracking" of the river. He would have the government dig a channel from Cairo to the Gulf, 110 yards wide and 12 feet deep, three miles distant from the present river bed.

To acquire land for that purpose, Mr. Lake declared, would cost $18,000,000.

Patrolman Kills Dog.

A mangy dog which Patrolman Henry Geiger picked up on the West Side was put out of its misery by a well directed blow of the officer's mace this morning. The dog had been wandering about the West Side for several days.

Express Agent Accused.

F. M. Peacock is in the Greensburg jail on a charge of embezzlement preferred by the Adams Express Company. It is alleged that Peacock, who was employed by the company, is short $162.

Wants Hand Buried.

John J. Wright of Cumberland, a Baltimore & Ohio brakeman, applied for a permit yesterday to have his hand which he lost while coupling cars, buried in a Cumberland cemetery.

Fire at Coal Town.

ELKINS, W. Va., March 14.—The office of the Davis Collieries Company at Bower, Braxton county, was destroyed by fire today with a loss of $25,000.

Bridgeport Teachers Meet.

A teachers institute is being held at Bridgeport, near Mount Pleasant. County Superintendent J. S. Carroll is among the speakers.

Completes New Coke Plant.

The Allegheny Coke Company has completed a plant of 150 ovens at Heller, in the eastern coal fields of Kentucky.

Lebo Mine is Still Burning.

A fire started in the Echo mine at Fayette City January 1, is still burning. It has cost the Pittsburg Coal Company $100,000.

PURE MILK IS AIM OF HEALTH BOARD; FOR RIGID TESTS

Move is Coincident With Announcement of Pasteurizing Plant.

WILL BE LOCATED ON WEST SIDE

Johannes Zacharias Proposes to Operate Dairy in Conjunction With the Cold Storage Plant: Health Board Members Would Test for Purity.

The new health regulations which are in course of preparation by Dr. Catherine Wakefield Dr. C. W. Utts and Charles Weihe comprising a committee from the Board of Health, will call for bacteriological tests of the city's milk supply and council will be asked at one of its early meetings to provide money for the necessary apparatus, which may cost about $200. Coincident with the board's stand on the milk question comes the announcement that the Connellsville Dairy Company, a concern to be managed by Johannes Zacharias, will be ready to supply pasteurized milk in Connellsville by April 1.

According to Doctors Wakefield and Utts, the milk tests which have been made by the board in the past, and which Health Officer George Hetzel is preparing to make in the next week, merely show the specific gravity of the fluid, and whether the milk contains water. This is not an ample test, they declare.

Attention was called by The Courier some weeks ago that no milk tests has been made for a long time and the board took immediate cognizance of the suggestion and laid plans to make more comprehensive tests than ever before.

"Weak milk is not going to hurt anyone, though it may retard the growth of infants fed upon it," said one physician. "Dirty milk will spread disease. That's what we want to find out. Is there dangerous bacteria in the milk? If there is and we detect it, we can prevent a disease epidemic."

The use of uncovered measures is declared to be one of the causes of dirty milk. In carrying it exposed to the air, it collects thousands of minute particles of dust and dirt which are left with the next customer as good measure. The adoption of the bottle system with sealed tops is advocated as a means of preventing this. Bacteriological tests would detect the presence of injurious bacteria, and also the amount of butter fat and solids.

The suggestions for a health ordinance will include these provisions and a great many more elaborations upon the regulations governing the old board, though the old ordinance will prove a valuable foundation upon which to work.

Concerning the proposition to market pasteurized milk a plant is being installed with up-to-date machinery and space has been rented from the Yough Crystal Ice & Storage Company where distilled water, steam and refrigeration are available. A uniform rate will be maintained the year round and enough wagons will be run to insure before-breakfast delivery in all parts of the city. In sterilized bottles, capped to prevent admission of dirt and disease germs, Mr. Zacharias, who will have entire charge of the plant, was until recently a New York business man. He has studied many methods and milk hygiene and will apply his knowledge toward making the new company an efficient concern.

40 PERSONS POISONED

Some of Them Taken Seriously Ill at a Meyersdale Church Supper.

Special to The Courier.

MEYERSDALE, March 14.—About forty of the 240 people who attended a chicken and biscuit supper given by the ladies of the Amity Reformed Church last night were more or less seriously ill from ptomaine poisoning. While there were no fatalities, some were near death's door as a result of the poison, and doctors were kept on the go all morning to administer to those who were stricken.

It is thought that the trouble was caused by some of the poultry having been slaughtered several days in advance and was kept in certain vessels which caused the meat to become tainted. The event caused great excitement and some of the patients were very sick and have not yet fully recovered.

PROHIBITIONISTS MEET.

Speech of Pittsburg Man is Feature of the Gathering.

Special to The Courier.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 14.—The monthly meeting of the Prohibition Club was held last night in the high school auditorium, a speech by Prof. Charles Scanlon, general secretary of the Presbyterian board of temperance, being the feature.

Fifty-eight new members were added to the roster of the club, which is conducting an energetic campaign against the granting of a license in Perryopolis this year.

Pennsylvania Company Chartered.

The Pennsylvania Steel Company of Delaware has been chartered at Dover with a capital of $100,000. It is a subsidiary of the Pennsylvania Steel Company of Pennsylvania and has been formed to do a special line of work at the Steelton plant.

SOCIETY.

Officers and Teachers Banquet.

Covers for 25 were laid at a banquet for the officers and teachers of the First Baptist Sunday school held last evening in the dining room of the church. The banquet was served by the King's Workers of the Church and was prettily appointed. A color scheme of pink, green and white predominated. Adorning the center of the table was a mound of pink tulips. The place cards were embellished with shamrock. The young ladies in charge of the dining room were Misses Elizabeth Smith, Miss Morfid Lewis, Nellie Cunningham, Mildred Coleman, Elsie Pann and Agnes Percy. Miss Elizabeth Gomas, chairman. Misses Margaret Rose and Anna Jean Randolph and Mrs. Jesse Brown were in charge of the kitchen. A business meeting followed the banquet. A. R. Boyer is superintendent of the Sunday school.

At the business session it was decided to open the church for recreation and entertainment for the Sunday school, the first open meeting to be held next Friday evening. S. Crow was appointed chairman of the recreation committee.

Christian Endeavor Society Meets.

The monthly business and social meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist Protestant Church was held last evening at the home of Miss Virginia Herbert on Tenth street, West Side. Refreshments were served.

Afternoon at Cards.

Three tables were called into requisition at the regular meeting of the Friday Afternoon Bridge Whist Club at which Mrs. Warren L. Wright was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home on South Pittsburg street. Luncheon was served at the close of the games. Mrs J. L. Evans will entertain the club Friday afternoon, March 27, at her home on Crawford avenue.

Mission Guild to Meet.

The Young Ladies' Mission Guild of the Trinity Reformed Church was entertained last evening by Mrs. Paul Gerke at her home in the South Side. The meeting was well attended and a social session followed the transaction of business.

Mission Band Meets.

The regular meeting of the Children's Mission Band of the Christian Church was held yesterday afternoon in the church after school. There was a large attendance.

Thursday Musicale.

Miss Clara Patterson will entertain the Thursday Musicale Thursday evening at her home on the South Side.

Easter Dance.

The University Club is arranging for a large Easter dance to be held at the Armory Tuesday evening, April 14.

O. R. C. Auxiliary.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Order of Railroad Conductors will be held next Wednesday afternoon in Odd Fellows' hall.

Surprise Birthday Party.

A very enjoyable surprise party was held last evening at the home of Mrs. John Jobes of Dunbar, the affair being arranged by Mrs. Frank Anderson in honor of Mrs. Jobes' forty-third birthday. Thirteen of her lady friends were in attendance and the evening was spent in playing old fashioned games and in music. At 10.30 a very delicious luncheon was served in which all participating heartily enjoyed. Mrs. Jobes was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents. At 11.30 all adjourned to their homes, having spent a most delightful evening and wishing Mrs. Jobes many more happy birthdays.

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR.

Make it Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise For You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any druggist or toilet counter, and just try it. —Adv.

RISKS LIFE FOR CHUM.

Lad Guides Sled Into Pole to Avert Collision; Badly Hurt.

In an effort to avoid a collision with the sled of a companion John McMaster, Oliver Huston, aged 14 years, swerved into a telegraph pole while coasting at Linn Station and suffered a fractured skull. He was taken to the Uniontown Hospital in a critical condition.

McMasters was dragging his sled across the coasting track when Huston came down at high speed. Steering sharply to one side, the coaster was unable to avoid the pole at the side of the hill and crashed into it head first.

Ever Taken a Personally Conducted Trip

in this country or abroad? They are delightful. Nothing to do but enjoy yourself. Experienced guide along to look after all details. For full information about spring, summer and winter tours, write to, or call on, the Foreign Department of the First National of Connellsville.—Adv.

Baby Boy is Born.

Word has been received at Vanderbilt of the arrival of a baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Garard in Waynesburg. Mrs. Garard was formerly Miss Stella Oglevee of Vanderbilt and has many friends in Connellsville.

One Cent a Word
for classified advertisements. Try them

The Fact Remains

No amount of misrepresentation by the peddlers of alum baking powders, no juggling with chemicals, or pretended analysis, or cooked-up certificates, or falsehoods of any kind, can change the fact that

Royal Baking Powder has been found by the official examinations to be of the highest leavening efficiency, free from alum, and of absolute purity and wholesomeness.

Royal Baking Powder is indispensable for making finest and most economical food.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wylie of Denver, Colo., and H. P. Wylie of Pittsburg, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Driscoll of the West Side.

Sparks Bute of the West Side was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Norman Pierspl of Star Junction, was a caller in town yesterday.

Harvey Stickel of Star Junction was in town on business yesterday.

Don't you know that spring is pretty near. How about that spring suit? Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.

The condition of Mrs. A. A. Wetherell, who is ill at his home on North Pittsburg street, is improved.

Mrs. R. C. Lyon and daughter, Susan, went to Pittsburg last evening to visit relatives for several days.

Mrs. W. O. Schoonover went to Pittsburg this morning.

A. A. Corristan of Ohiopyle was in town today on business.

See our stock of butterine before buying elsewhere. All of the popular brands. 18 to 25 cents a pound. Double silver coupons with every purchase of butterine. Muir's Meat Market.—Adv.

C. C. Gray of South Pittsburg street is out again after a three attack of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marietta and son of Humbert returned home this morning after a visit with relatives here. Mrs. Marietta and son also visited in Pittsburg.

J. J. Barnhart of Sunnyside left for Mount Braddock this morning on business.

T. Scott Dunn of the West Side is in Uniontown on business today.

Chicago Dairy Company. Butterine a specialty 16, 20, 23 and 25 cents per pound. Just arrived Butterine at 13 cents per pound or two pounds for 25 cents. Roquefort Cheese 45 cents; Imported Swiss 35 cents; Longhorn 24 cents; Brick, 25 cents. We always save you middle men's profit. All goods guaranteed fresh.—Adv.

George Lyon, a former Connellsville resident, and now of Washington, Pa., is here attending the administrators sale of the estate of W. C. Lyon which is taking place this afternoon at Rosedale farm, near Pennsville.

George Ramsey has returned to his Masontown home, after visiting his mother here.

Mrs. George Wilhelm left Thursday morning for Akron, O., where she will spend some time.

Misses Fern Ganier, Margaret Fagan and Miss Painter are spending the day in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lambertson of Johnstown, Gad Thomas and daughter, Chattie of West Elizabeth, and Mrs. Mollie Douglass of Pittsburg attended the funeral of Mrs. Amelia Dull.

Miss Margaret McNulty will go to Greensburg next week where she has accepted a position with J. H. Hodge & Co.

Mrs H. P. Snyder and son, Henry, are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Alice Kuhn McIntyre of McKeesport today.

Mrs James A. Cowgill is visiting friends in Greensburg for several days.

F. L. Brendel, formerly of Connellsvile and now of Hagerstown, Md., was in town this morning.

Mr and Mrs E. B Small and daughters, Alice and Margaret are visiting friends in Pittsburg.

Mrs A B Kurtz and children went to Confluence this morning to visit relatives.

STOP SICK HEADACHE OR NEURALGIA PAIN.

Get Instant Relief With a 10 Cent Package of Dr. James' Headache Powders; Stops Neuralgia Pain.

Nerve-racking, splitting or dull throbbing headaches yield in just a few moments to Dr. James' Headache Powders which cost only 10 cents a package at any drug store. It's the quickest, surest headache relief in the world. Don't suffer. Relieve the agony and distress now! You can. Millions of men and women have found that headache and neuralgia misery is needless. Get what you ask for.—Adv.

Schools Will Buy Victrolas.

The last number of the victrola concert was given at the Seventh street school building last evening. Several pieces played on the victrola were greatly appreciated by the audience. The features of the evening were songs by the school children, and a piano duet by Misses Stryker and Cavender. The amount cleared by the school was over one hundred dollars. Two victrolas will be bought and a third taken on credit, funds for the payments to be secured when an entertainment will be given by the pupils next year.

Do You Want Help?
Try our classified ads. One cent a word. Results follow.

OTTO COKING COMPANY TO BUILD BY-PRODUCT PLANT

German Interests Behind Big Corporation Which Will Install Ovens in U. S.

Otto Coking Company, Inc., a corporation, has been formed to operate in the United States, and on March 1 took over the organization, assets and good will of the Schniewind Coke Oven Company, the United Coke & Gas Company, the German-American Coke & Gas Company and the American Coke & Gas Construction Company.

The Otto Coking Company is controlled by the interests in Dr. C. Otto & Co. of Dahlhausen a. d. Ruhr, Germany and the Otto By-Product Coke Company of Leeds, England. The object is to introduce into the United States the Otto regenerative by-product coke oven, with direct recovery of ammonia, tar and benzol.

The new company starts out with a contract for the immediate erection of a plant for the Buffalo By-Product Coke Corporation at Lackawanna, N. Y., near Buffalo, with several other negotiations now going on for additional plants.

The permanent officers of the new company will be Dr. M. G. Christie, Leeds, Eng., president, Dr. C. Otto, assistant to the president; Louis Wilputte, vice president and general manager; and George F. McKay, secretary and treasurer. The temporary headquarters will be at No. 6 Church street, New York. Doctor Christie will spend about half of his time in the United States, while Mr. Otto, who is a son of the inventor of the original Otto oven, will soon take up his permanent residence in this country. Mr Wilputte is one of the best known coal and coke oven engineers in America.

IT SNOWS WORMS.

New Brighton Farmer Tells Strange Tale of Storm.

NEW BRIGHTON, Pa., March 14.—According to William McKim, a farmer of Big Beaver township, it snowed angle worms in that township the other day.

Mr. McKim was crossing a field and noticed worms crawling on the snow. They were 1¼ inches long. The ground was frozen and the residents say they believe the worms were taken up in a tropical climate and transported on a cloud.

Card of Thanks.

Joseph Dull and family wish to extend their sincere thanks to their many friends and neighbors for their assistance and sympathy extended them during their recent bereavement caused by the death of the wife and mother, Mrs. Amelia Dull.—Adv.

Will Repeat Entertainment.

Aunt Jerusha's Quilting Party, a delightful entertainment presented by the young people of the First Baptist Church will be given some time this month at Dunbar for the benefit of the Baptist Church at that place.

Granted Marriage Licenses.

Carl S. Whiteman and Matilda Woods, both of Brownsville, were granted a marriage license in Uniontown yesterday.

Will Celebrate Anniversary.

The first anniversary of the dedication of the new United Brethren Church at Mount Pleasant will be observed tomorrow

MEN ARE WANTED

by the

First Presbyterian Church

More men are coming to our services than ever before, both to Sabbath School (57 in Men's Class last Sabbath) and to church services. We want more yet—many more. This advertisement is intended

TO PROVOKE THE WOMEN

to surpass the men in attendance at services. They may do it, too.

Sermon Subjects Tomorrow:

1. Blessings Cursed.
2. Which Way Shall I Take.

Large chorus and orchestra in the Sabbath School.

Popular service in the evening. Male Quartet will sing.

Colonial Theatre, 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.

DEATHS OF THE DAY

Mrs. William J. Butler.

Mrs. William J. Butler of Brownsville died yesterday morning at the Markleton sanatorium following a several days illness of typhoid pneumonia developing from a severe cold which she contracted while attending the funeral of a brother-in-law Clarence Johnson, held March 1 from the Johnson Chapel near Confluence. It was her third attack of pneumonia. She was removed to the sanatorium last Sunday. Funeral services from the Johnson Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in a nearby cemetery. Rev. L. W. LePage of the Methodist Episcopal Church will officiate.

Mrs. Butler was a daughter of Morgan and Delilia Burnworth and was born near Johnson Chapel October 8, 1878. She united with the Methodist Episcopal church in her early girlhood days. She married William J. Butler who with three small children, two boys and a girl, survive. Soon after their marriage they moved to McKees Rocks, where Mr. Butler held a lucrative position with the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad. Later he was transferred by the company to Brownsville. Mrs. Butler was held in high esteem by her many friends. In addition to her husband and children she is survived by her parents who reside in Uniontown and the following brothers and sisters: Hiram, Price and Lawrence Burnworth of Uniontown; Rev. J. C. Burnworth of Arnold, Pa., Mrs. C. J. Weller of Huntington, W. Va.; Mrs. Owen Farr and Miss Cora Burnworth of Uniontown.

Roy Kern.

Roy Kern, two years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis W. Kern, of Uniontown, and a grandson of A. B. Kern, steward-elect of the county home, died yesterday afternoon. The interment will be made tomorrow morning in the Indian Creek Baptist Church cemetery.

Andrew P. Ellsworth.

Andrew P. Ellsworth, 72 years old, died yesterday at his home at Gates. The body will be brought to Connellsville tomorrow for interment.

Mrs. Echard's Funeral.

Rev. R. C. Wolf, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Rev. W. J. Everhart, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church, officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Alice Echard yesterday afternoon. The services were attended by a large gathering of friends and relatives. The floral tributes were many. Mrs. Amelia Fee Donovan of Pittsburg, sang.

The pallbearers were Joseph T. Johnston, W. W. Smith, Francis Richey, F. C. Rose, J. B. Davis and A. A. Clarke. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery. Among the out-of-town persons attending were Mr. and Mrs. Cramer Echard, Mr. and Mrs Stickel, Mrs. James Stillwagon, Star Junction; Mrs. E. J. Hamill, Messton, O., Mrs. Adeline Anderson and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Scottdale, and George Echard of Pittsburg.

Peter Gaumper's Funeral.

Rev. R. E. Cairns, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church will officiate at the funeral of Peter Gaumper to be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from his residence on Eleventh street, West Side. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

EVOLVES NEW SCHEME

Fourth Ward Kids Will Earn Money for a Talking Machine.

While practically all of the public school buildings are holding entertainments of various sorts to raise money for graphophones, Principal Black and the teachers in the Fourth Ward building have evolved a novel scheme directed toward the same end. Each child is asked to earn as much money as he can and contribute it toward the cost of the talking machine, the only condition being that the money must be "earned," not collected.

Various methods have been devised by the little ones and the fund gives promise of being a good one. One little boy secured the promise of a relative that he would earn a penny for every word he spelled correctly. His first day's earnings totalled one cent, but he is working hard to double his average.

Stork Leaves a Boy.

A son, Delp Sisley Collins, was born this morning to Druggist and Mrs. L. B. Collins of South Pittsburg street. Mrs. Collins was formerly Miss Mae Sisley.

Have a Holiday.

The auditor's office employes of the West Penn Railways Company had a holiday today while the painters and decorators were engaged in that room.

Patronize those who advertise.

3c Wall Paper 7½c

3c, 4c, 5c and 7½c Bolt

The Wall Paper Season is at hand. Don't wait until the middle of the season when every paper hanger has three times as much work as he can do. Let me figure with you **NOW** while work can be done promptly. For the next sixty days I will sell you papers that you never dreamed of securing at these prices—3c, 4c, 5, 7½c Bolt. All new 1914 patterns that you have always paid two to four times these prices for.

3c Will buy papers suitable for kitchens, halls and small living rooms—papers worth double the price. Trimmed ready to hang, the bolt **3c**

5c Secures your choice of especially selected patterns. A wide range of patterns in gilts and tones. Papers for any kind of a room. Trimmed ready to hang, bolt **5c**

4c Will buy your choice of 32 patterns for rooms of every kind. Others are asking double this price for cheaper goods. Trimmed ready to hang, bolt **4c**

7½c Secures your choice of 76 patterns in gilts, two and three tone blends, high color and Bulgarian effects. Others ask 20c to 50c bolt. My price bolt **7½c**

Cut-out borders, Holzmehls, Duplex and Decorations always in stock.

5c **SCHMITZ** **4c**

AT ECONOMY DEPARTMENT STORE,
Formerly New York Racket Store, 166 W. Main St.

COULD NOT STAND ON FEET

Mrs. Baker So Weak—Could Not Do Her Work—Found Relief In Novel Way.

Adrian, Mich. — "I suffered terribly with female weakness and backache and got so weak that I could hardly do my work. When I washed my dishes I had to sit down and when I would sweep the floor I would get so weak that I would have to get a drink every few minutes, and before I did my dusting I would have to lie down. I got so poorly that my folks thought I was going into consumption. One day I found a piece of paper blowing around the yard and I picked it up and read it. It said 'Saved from the Grave,' and told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for women. I showed it to my husband and he said, 'Why don't you try it?' So I did, and after I had taken two bottles I felt better and I said to my husband, 'I don't need any more,' and he said 'You had better take it a little longer anyway.' So I took it for three months and got well and strong."—Mrs. ALONZO E. BAKER, 9 Tecumseh St., Adrian, Mich.

Not Well Enough to Work.

In these words is hidden the tragedy of many a woman, housekeeper or wage earner who supports herself and is often helping to support a family, on meagre wages. Whether in house, office, factory, shop, store or kitchen, woman should remember that there is one tried and true remedy for the ills to which all women are prone, and that is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It promotes that vigor which makes work easy. The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

THE ROSE ICE CREAM CO.

MAKERS OF

Rose's Pure Ice Cream

Bricks and Fruit Cream
All Flavors

Specials for Family use and Social Functions.

Both Phones.

THE ROSE ICE CREAM CO.

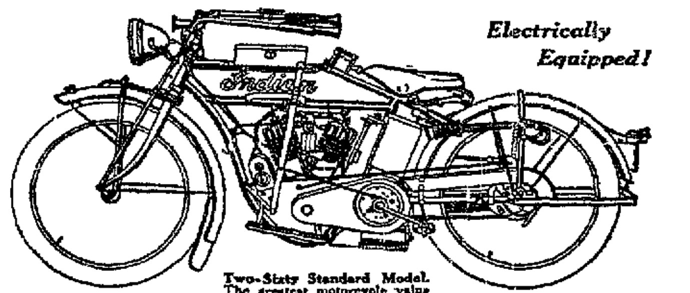
OPTION A SITE.

Odd Fellows May Build New Home on the West Side.

The committee appointed to select a site for the new home of William McKinley lodge, No 136 Independent Order of Odd Fellows, has taken an option on the Whiteley property on the West Side. This property is located on the corner of Third and Main streets. The front floor is at present occupied by Dr R S McKee, and Mrs Rhodes' millinery store. The second story is used for tenement purposes.

If the property is purchased the frame building now standing on the corner will be moved to the rear of the lot and rebuilt as an apartment. This location is well suited for such a home as the Odd Fellows intend to build.

Hunting Bargains?
If so, read our advertising columns and you will find them.



Two-Sixty Standard Model. The greatest motorcycle value ever achieved. 7 H P Twin equipped with Electric Head Light, Electric Tail Light, Electric Signal, Two Sets Storage Batteries and Corbin-Brown Rear-Drive Speedometer. Price $260 00. See Catalog for detailed description.

Indian MOTOCYCLES FOR 1914

60,000 brand-new red machines will go out over the Indian trails during the coming year—the greatest motorcycle production in the history of the industry.

They will flash forth fully armed with "Thirty-Eight Betterments for 1914!" Armed with powerful and beautiful Electrical Equipment! Armed with a New Standard of Value which must completely overturn all existing ideas of motorcycle worth.

All standard Indian models for 1914 come equipped with electric head light, electric tail light, two sets high amperage storage batteries, electric signal, Corbin-Brown rear-drive speedometer.

You cannot fully realize the 1914 Indian without a thorough study of the 1914 Indian Catalog. It makes plain a host of compelling Indian facts that all motorcycle-interested men can consider to their real profit. Send for the 1914 Indian Catalog—the most interesting volume of motorcycle literature you've ever read.

The 1914 line of Indian Motocycles consists of:

4 H.P. Single Service Model	$200.00
7 H.P. Twin Two-Twenty-Five, Regular Model	225.00
7 H.P. Twin Two-Sixty, Standard Model	260.00
7 H.P. Twin Light Roadster Model	260.00
7 H.P. Twin Two Speed, Regular Model	275.00
7 H.P. Twin Two Speed, Tourist Standard Model	300.00
7 H.P. Twin Hendee Special Model (with Electric Starter)	325.00

Prices F. O. B. Factory

DEMONSTRATION BY APPOINTMENT.

Madigan & Stillwell, Agents,

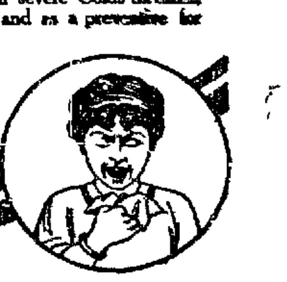
Bell Phone 38. Tri State Phone 351.

Bronchial Coughs Quickly Relieved with GOFF'S COUGH SYRUP

A cough in the Bronchial Tubes can be relieved and completely cured in a short time by taking Goff's Cough Syrup regularly. Nothing in Goff's to upset the stomach. No Opium, Morphine, Chloroform or other harmful drug. Made entirely from native herbs that have a curative effect on the cause of the cough and that bring quick relief from all inflammation of the respiratory organs.

And take Goff's promptly for Bronchitis when severe Colds threaten; for inflamed Throat, Hoarseness and Asthma and as a preventive for Pneumonia. Goff's is the remedy used in your great-grandmother's day—and steadily ever since.

Keep Goff's Cough Syrup handy. 25-cent and 50-cent bottles—at all dealers. Money Back by the dealer if you say it didn't help YOU.



Cockroaches

SHOULD BE KILLED

At the first sign of the repulsive cockroach or waterbug, get a box of the genuine Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste and use it according to directions, and in the morning you can sweep up a panful of dead cockroaches. Ready for use; no mixing. Does not blow into the food like powders.

Directions in 15 languages in every package. Two sizes, 25c and $1.00. Sold by retailers everywhere.

Patronize those who advertise.

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Everyone is Cordially Invited

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No extra charge for Saturday, Sunday and holidays—always 5c.

Keystone and West Penn Station Parlors.

Interesting Data Revealed in an Old Diary From Smithfield

Interesting historic data has been gleaned from an old account book and diary kept by Reese Jones, an old and respected citizen of Georges township, long since dead, has been compiled by Squire Henry O'Neil of Smithfield. Back in 1850 he succeeded his father in the operation of a powder mill located on the east bank of Georges creek, about a half mile above Rubles mill, where for a number of years he manufactured black powder and sold it to contractors then constructing the Baltimore & Ohio railroad over the mountains to Grafton and Fairmont.

The first entry in the book is for powder sold in the year 1850 and reads: "May 24, eleven hundred pounds at $12 per cwt., $132. May 31, twelve hundred pounds at $12 per hundred, $144." Then followed charges for like amounts to contractors Gillespie, Merco, Haywood and Hull of Fairmont.

Another interesting entry in the book is the vote of Pennsylvania for President in 1860. "Whole vote for President in Pennsylvania, November, 1860, 474,518; Lincoln's vote, 268,578; Reading ticket, 175,896; strait Douglas, 17,350; Bell vote, 12,764; Lincoln's majority over the fusion ticket, 92,622. Reading and Douglass, 62,518; Lincoln's majority over all, 62,518; Whole vote of Philadelphia, 77,247; Lincoln got of that, 39,223; fusion, 31,619; Bell, 7,131." What is meant by the Reading ticket is not signified; perhaps a reader may be able to explain the reference.

Another entry of particular interest to G. A. R. members is the following: "Jerramiah L. Jones died in Salisbury Prison Pen, N. C., October 31, 1864, in the 23rd year of his age." This was a brother of Reese Jones, who was a soldier of the Civil War, wounded and taken prisoner and died as recorded above. Jerry Jones Post of Smithfield was named for him.

There were the good old Democratic days when wildcat money flourished. If wages were low, "50 cents a day for common labor and 75 cents to $1.25 a day for skilled labor," the price of living offset it. Witness an entry in 1855: "Philip Lewis, Dr., to 200 lbs of bef at 4½ cents a pound." Another for corn at 80 cents per bushel and other commodities in proportion.

An item that may cause some amusement among readers of this generation is that of April 24, 1863, "Put on new shoes." Putting on shoes in that time and the wearing and breaking them in was an episode long to be remembered. The uppers were of full hide about the thickness of an oak shingle and about as pliable. You never forgot the blistered heels and the epidermis rubbed off your toes and insteps in wearing them until they conformed to the shape of your feet.

Reese H. Jones, from whose diary the above items are taken, was a man of more than ordinary ability. He could do almost everything, from the menial tasks to higher branches of mechanism. He was a competent civil engineer and surveyed many properties in this vicinity, the lines of which were never disputed. He surveyed a plot of ground in Smithfield for Henry O'Neil, who built a house on it. He also plastered the house.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, March 14.—W. M. Bowser, formerly proprietor of the Hotel Bowser here, but now located at Clearfield, is here visiting relatives and friends for a few days and transacting business matters.

Word was received here last evening of the death of Harry Daugherty, who passed suddenly away at Ravena, O., where he was employed by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company. He was a brother of the late Captain W. M. Daugherty, who died several weeks ago, and deceased was present at his brother's funeral, and at the time appeared to be in the best of health. Several years ago he was a resident of this place. He was aged about 56 years, and is survived by his widow and several children.

John A. Hartman, Windber; Virgil M. Black, Confluence, and Captain W. M. Schrock of Somerset, viewers appointed by the court to inquire into the petitions asking for the erection of two bridges in the borough of Meyersdale across the Flaugherty creek, one at Centre street and the other at Walnut street, have reported in favor of the erection of the two bridges petitioned for, and it is thought the bridges will be built early this spring.

S. A. Kendall of the Kendall Lumber Company, has gone to Roseburg, Oregon to look after the company's interests there, they having extensive timber interests on the Pacific Coast.

The Equal Suffrage Club of Meyersdale will meet at the home of Mrs. W. S. Livengood, 115 Meyers avenue, on Tuesday, March 17th, at 3.30 P. M.

Rev. J. J. Brady left yesterday for Mount Pleasant to attend the funeral of his friend, Rev. M. J. O'Donnell.

Robert Berkeley of Kansas City, Mo., is here to spend several weeks with relatives and friends.

MEYERSDALE, March 13.—The Broadway Athletic Club basketball team at the Summer Garden last evening defeated the Savage Athletic Club, of Mount Savage, Md., by the score of 35 to 23, thus edging up several points closer to the pennant of the Western Maryland Basketball League. The climax will come on Tuesday evening when the locals will engage the Lonaconing quintet, who now occupy first position, at the Summer Garden. This game will either decide or tie the race for the pennant. Should Lonaconing win the game, the pennant goes with it, but in case Meyersdale wins the race will be a tie. Several hundred will accompany the Lonaconing team to this place, and there will be hundreds from Meyersdale and vicinity who will go to see the game, and as on the last occasion when the Lonaconing team played here, many will likely be turned away, though there were nearly 1,000 admissions sold.

Professor and Mrs. W. H. Kretchman, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kretchman, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hershberger, Mrs. Eliza Christner, John and Milton Kretchman yesterday attended the funeral of their relative, Samuel A. Kretchman, who died a few days prior of pneumonia in the Memorial Hospital at Johnstown following a brief illness. He was a former county auditor and his remains were interred at the cemetery near his late residence, which was about two miles from Rockwood.

Mrs. Michael Carey is the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carey, at the county seat.

Miss Alice Graves is this week visiting relatives and friends at Cumberland.

Miss Lutie Tressler left yesterday for Pittsburg, where she will spend the remainder of the week on business.

P. H. Ranier, proprietor of the Colonial Hotel, who spent several days with friends at his former home, Martinsburg, W. Va., returned home last evening.

Miss Eleanor Lepley, who spent the forepart of this week with relatives at Scottdale, arrived home on No. 16 last evening.

It is rumored that the proprietors of the shirt factory will shortly install a model laundering plant, and will make it of sufficient capacity so that besides doing their own work they will be enabled to do custom work.

Classified ads one cent a word.

New Fuel in Steel Mill.

Experiments conducted by the Carnegie Steel Company with pulverized coal in an open hearth furnace have proved very successful.

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, March 14.—Charles Mossburg of Woodside, was a borough business visitor Thursday.

Peter Tague and wife and little son were in Pittsburg Friday.

Mrs. H. R. Sackett, Mrs. W. T. Mesmore, E. L. Downey and N. H. Hankins were in Uniontown yesterday.

Harry Hall of Cheat Neck, W. Va., was transacting business in the borough Friday.

A wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio at the old Wharton coke works Friday blocked traffic on the Sheepskin about four hours. Two cars of a freight train left the track and were completely crushed. Defective road bed was the cause of derailment.

Mrs. W. C. Sackett is home from the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, and recovering nicely from the operation she underwent there several weeks ago.

H. O'Neil and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neil at Point Marion over Saturday night and Sunday.

Andrew Roon of Fairchance was a borough business visitor Thursday.

Some one lost a carton containing about 10 or 12 pounds of petroleum wax for use on the cemetery hill West Main street Thursday. It evidently fell from a wagon en route to a store at Outcrop. The owner can have the same by calling on H. O'Neil, Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, March 13.—Mr. and Mrs. John Dills of Old Frame, were borough shoppers on Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Morton of South Georges township, was a borough shopper on Tuesday.

Clarence Jones and O. S. Brown were in Point Marion Thursday night attending a session of Point Marion Lodge I. O. O. F., and assisted them in conferring the second degree on a class of 16.

W. M. Broakiron, by articles of agreement, closed a deal Wednesday with Walter J. Hittle, a Baltimore & Ohio fireman, by which he sells Mr. Hittle 41 acres of land in Georges township; consideration $2,500. Mr. Hittle will erect a dwelling house on his purchase this spring.

J. R. Abraham will move from Georges township to the borough the first of April.

Robert Benson and W. J. Riffle visited Point Marion Lodge I. O. O. F. on Tuesday night.

Professor T. B. Whoolery of Ruble, was a borough visitor on Tuesday.

Smithfield Encampment I. O. O. F., after a session of the camp, gave an oyster supper to members of the order in the town hall, Thursday night.

Howard Phillips was transacting business at Uniontown on Tuesday.

Walter Ramsey will move into his property recently purchased in Georges township near Oliphant Furnace about the first of April.

A colt belonging to Walter Goodwin broke through the crust over a mine working on his farm in Georges township on Tuesday. With the help of a neighbor he rescued the animal uninjured.

C. D. Crow visited his father, William Crow, the veteran teacher and Sunday School worker, at his home in Point Marion on Tuesday. He is very poorly from heart trouble and other infirmities incident to old age. He is past 80 years of age.

Dr. H. B. Gilber was in Morgantown Thursday. He visited the scene of the wreck of No. 51 at Ullington, the engine of which broke a driving bar just as she was pulling out of Ullington station, throwing the engine into the river with no serious injury to any one more than giving the fireman and engineer a cold bath in the Monongahela river.

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 13.—Mr. and Mrs. John Hall attended the funeral of R. W Craft of Merrittstown yesterday.

Miss Cynthia Reed is visiting relatives and friends at Upper Middletown.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church held an all day meeting yesterday in the church parlor with about 25 members present. The ladies of the Christian Church held a similar meeting with Mrs. J. W. Harrington. Quilting was the enjoyment of the day.

The men's meeting on Wednesday evening at the Methodist Episcopal Church was well attended. Rev. Younkins gave a forceful address of good advice.

Miss Bessie Russell of Echard, is spending a few days in town.

Patronize those who advertise.

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, March 13—Mrs. Amos Collins and daughter spent Thursday calling on friends and shopping in Uniontown.

Mrs. Hester Williams of Bear Run, was a shopper here yesterday.

Lester Foust of Markleton, passed through here last evening on his way to Connellsville.

James Hiles was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

George Skinner of Bear Run, was a business caller here on Thursday.

R. H. Horton spent Thursday evening with his family in Connellsville.

Charles Flanegan of Confluence, was a business caller here yesterday.

Mrs. J. Smith and daughter, Miss Mildred, were shopping in Connellsville yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Burnworth of Whig Corner, was in town yesterday shopping.

Harry Marietta was a caller in Connellsville yesterday.

Joseph Orndorff and son of Connellsville, made a short visit here with friends yesterday.

Jacob Smith of Indian Creek, spent Thursday with his family here.

Mrs. H. C. Jones and daughter, Helen, were Connellsville shoppers and visitors yesterday.

A. P. Daniels of Alverton, spent Thursday with his daughter, Mrs. T. W. Fleming.

Charles Holt was a Confluence business caller yesterday.

William Stewart of Bear Run, was in town yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Johnson have returned to their home here, after a short visit with relatives near Uniontown.

OHIOPYLE, March 14.—The public schools here will be closed all next week owing to Principal George Morrison being on the jury at Uniontown.

Miss Oma Harbaugh was a caller here last evening.

Miss Laura Klag spent Friday shopping and calling on friends in Connellsville.

Miss Edith White is visiting her mother in Confluence.

Fred Mason was a Connellsville business caller yesterday.

Mrs. George Hershberger was shopping in Connellsville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danalo left for their home in Connellsville yesterday after a short visit here.

Lewis Morrison of Sugar Loaf, was a caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. Liston Joseph and two children of Jim Run, spent Friday calling on friends in Ohiopyle.

Mrs. Charles Birch who has spent the past week with relatives in Friendsville, Md., returned to her home here last evening.

OHIOPYLE, March 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Kimmell Shipley and children, who have been in Uniontown for the past few days returned to their home here last evening.

M. E. Hochstetler was a business visitor in Connellsville on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Orndorff have returned to their home here, after a several days' visit in Uniontown.

Charles Gundrum, formerly third trick operator at BK tower near here, left for a new position at Stoyestown.

Irwin Williams was in Connellsville yesterday on business.

Grant Linderman, after attending court at Uniontown for the past few days, returned last evening to his home near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanning and children have returned to their home on Garrett street, after a short visit in Uniontown.

Miss Ethel Connor left last evening to visit with friends at Humbert.

Mrs. Charles Robinson of Ursina, is the guest of friends here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan and baby returned to their home here, after a short visit with Connellsville friends.

The Ohiopyle Company got in another large car of ice yesterday.

Walter Shipley of Sipes, was a caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. J. P. Grindle was a shopper in town yesterday.

Newlan and Lewis Burnworth, Homer Leonard, Jacob Burnworth, J. Jeffries Benjamin Harris were hauling props to the Kendall Lumber Company's yards yesterday.

WALTZ MILL.

WALTZ MILL, March 14.—Word was received here of the death of Mrs. Annie E. Brown at her home in Baltimore of pneumonia. Mrs. Brown was a former resident of this place and had many friends here. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rotharmel. Mrs. Brown leaves a husband and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Wheatley, all of Baltimore.

Mrs. J. W. Lowstetter and Miss Mamie Weaver visited friends in Dunbar on Thursday.

Jacob Snyder of Seanor spent Friday with his sister Mrs. John Taylor near here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Baughman were Sunday visitors at the latter's parents George Welble of Mendon.

Albert Null, dairyman, of Ruffsdale, was a business caller here on Monday.

Samuel Kelly, the constable is busy rounding up school truants.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Showers of Youngwood, were here this week calling on friends.

Thomas Demmick is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. David Kellar and children were visitin gfriends in Hunker on Tuesday.

The pupils and teachers of the Waltz school gave a box social and entertainment in the school house last night.

A sledding party drove from here to Ruffsdale on Wednesday evening and returned at a late hour.

Oliver Bolinger after spending several weks here with his parents, has gone back to his work at Altoona.

Proposes State Food Commission.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 14.—The establishment of a state food and market commission was recommended by Governor Glynn yesterday in a special message. His idea is that the commission should be authorized to encourage the establishment of local markets under the control of cooperative associations of producers or consumers.

Basketball Tonight.

The Y. M. C. A. Juniors will play the fast Boy Scout team of Uniontown this evening at 8 o'clock on the Y. M. C. A. floor. The Seniors will play the Triangular Club of Scottdale after the first game is over.

GREY WHIPCORD FOR SPRING.

The model shown in the drawing today is a fashionable design developed in ginger grey whipcord with revers and collar lined with black and white silk, a color combination speaking loudly of spring. A length of soft taffa matching the girdle is drawn across the front as a vest, and above this is a little tucker of lace. The skirt is draped in jabot effect at the front, the upper portion being concealed beneath a double flounce of the material. The rage for elongated hat trimmings is demonstrated in the little bicorne shape of straw with its ribbon chou and sharply jutting quills.

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MOUNT PLEASANT.

MOUNT PLEASANT, March 14.—Reverend Bailey who was brought from New York here to teach the children the Hebrew language, gave an entertainment in the Gemmell rooms on Mullin avenue as a farewell. There was recitations and sketches in the Hebrew language by the children. The children who took part in the program were Emanuel Valkin, Bella Marshall, Benjamin Levine, Alice Kobacker, Miss Barron, Rosie Rosenthal, Selma Volkin, Daniell and William Barron, the Messrs. Wineburg, Revitz and Abramson and Levinson. H. Kobacker made an address after the children's program.

The Washington street home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lobinger caught on fire yesterday from a defective flue. The blaze was extinguished with very little damage done.

The local Independents went down to defeat before the South Side team of Pittsburg at the state armory last evening by a score of 47 to 15. This is the first time the Independents have lost a game on the home floor this winter.

Miss Bertha Springer entertained the Fancy Work Club at her Pitchman street home. Very nice refreshments were served.

Mrs. Iga Patterson of Somerset came yesterday to visit Miss Rosa Patterson of Main street.

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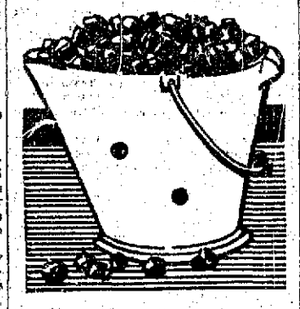

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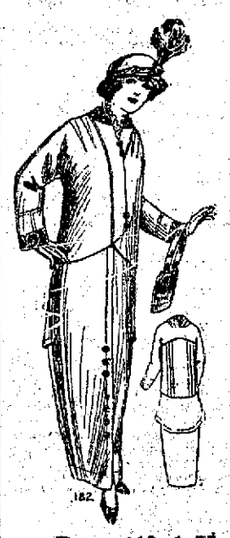

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BITTER CRY OF BUSINESS.

A dark pall of doubt seems to be spreading over the business horizon. The optimism which characterized the situation at the opening of the year is no longer aggressively in evidence. The country is evidently suffering from too much Washington Industry, the most cheerful interest in January, is protesting in March. The Cleveland Iron Trade Review says:

Shall American business, steadily honest and law-abiding, be repressed or harassed even be pilloried for the sins, inadvertent or deliberate, of the few exceptions?

Shall American industry be fettered with the shackles of regulation conceived in theory, well-intentioned without doubt, but lacking in practical appreciation of the business necessities of the country as at present constituted?

Shall the voice of the demagogue, the professional agitator, the public zealot, be permitted to drown the protest of honest business against unnecessary interference that must paralyze initiative energy and organized genius that have made the nation commercially great?

These are the questions which business men, large and small, now are asking one another, are asking members of Congress, are asking the President of the United States, clearly to answer.

American industry sustained the first shock of a practically protectionless tariff with the cheerful announcement that conditions would be met somehow American finance is now preparing to accept the result of Democratic banking and currency legislation, and to adjust banks and financial institutions to it. The railroads are patiently awaiting long-delayed justice in the matter of their rates, and behind them halts much oncoming iron and steel business. The express companies are resignedly retiring from business in the face of parcels post competition

But the worst is not yet.

President Wilson insists upon the passage of a bill creating a commission which will have power to regulate the affairs of all corporations. Government regulation of the railroads has come close to being Government control. Under the proposed law all corporations, big and little, will be under more direct and absolute control of the Government than the railroads and with less excuse. It means the regulation by political domination of practically all the business in the country Partnerships and individuals are scarcely known now. Practically all business is done under the convenient corporate form.

The prospect of having their affairs dominated and directed by government theorists and political bosses, is not pleasing to business men. This probably explains the hesitation that has made itself manifest this month, and which has brought forth the above bitter protest.

COKE TRADE REVIEWS.

The value of statistical information and industrial reviews depend upon their premises as well as their conclusions Misleading facts, however intelligently considered and applied, result in misleading deductions, which may be made grotesque through ignorant interpretation.

The Weekly Courier was established in 1879 by its present editor, who shortly thereafter foreseeing dimly the future of the Connellsville coke trade began the business of collecting its statistics, reviewing its features, promoting its progress, proclaiming the superiority of its product and in every proper manner advancing its interests.

So well has the statistical part of this work been done that its results have for years past been used in the industrial reports and other publications of the federal and state governments as authority on the subject, supplanting data previously gathered by government employes. Few newspapers are so highly complimented, and The Weekly Courier has always endeavored to deserve the confidence reposed in it by sparing no pains or effort to make its reports of the Connellsville coke trade accurate and reliable.

From time to time cheap imitators have appeared in the field, but they have lasted only long enough to be found out Just now there are several ambitious young men who think they can tell the readers of their publications all about the coke business at least once a week, but the producer or consumer of coke who depends upon their premises or their conclusions goes so at his peril.

For example we are advised by one publication that the coke shipments of last week aggregated 9,032 cars, whereas they aggregated 10,562 cars, a discrepancy of 1 510 cars, or over 50 000 tons or approximately one whole day's output of the coke ovens as they have been operating Withdrawn from the market with one full swoop this might out the price up several pegs It is possible that this writer is a bull

Producers consumers and others who have more than a passing interest in the coke business probably read such articles for diversion, but for information they read The Weekly Courier.

While Connellsville's absconding express messenger is enjoying himself in the balmy breezes of Florida his brother is facing the atmosphere of the Pen and his wife is trying to support her little family. Justice isn't kicking her leaden heels in the Wiant case

Paige, the baseball man, talks more than Page, the Ambassador, and he seems to hit it off better in Connellsville

Pennsylvania easily holds its own as the premier coal producing state.

Butcher Villa is preparing to sacrifice a goat to the memory of Benton.

MILK AND MILK TESTS.

The public will be more reconciled to the proposition of the Board of Health for the purchase of "scientific-instruments" now that it develops that these instruments are for the more searching test of milk.

Justly or unjustly, there is a loud and growing complaint on the part of Connellsville consumers concerning the quality of the lacteal fluid served them under the label of milk, and many persons do not hesitate to say that dairymen are too free with the pump. Milk is a large part of the public diet, and it is especially the food of children The milkmen of this community charge enough for their product It should at all times be up to standard grade, and if there is ever any doubt about it the Board of Health ought to intervene and determine the matter. To do this the Board of Health should be provided with the proper tools

Let the instruments be purchased without delay, and when they are available let them be put into service promptly. In the meantime, those at hand will enable the proper officers to detect any lack of butter fat, or superabundance of dilution.

Connellsville will have a school exposition that will be more interesting to some parents than the Panama affair in San Francisco

The engineer of a B. & O coal train coming into Cumberland the other day gave a correct imitation of the modern Casablanca.

Train bandits have broken loose in Illinois, and Al Jennings is trying to break into the Oklahoma State House. The Illinois crowd are Suckers

The Panama Canal toll question is evidently no joke to some Senators.

Washington has discovered a free canal lobby and if President Wilson has his way it won't be plain sailing for the members.

The Smuts faith in the West Side is abiding and withal prosperous.

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L. B. Brownfield, Attorney

RAIMONDO MARZIALE VS ROSA Marziale. In the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., No. 807 December Term, 1913. To Rosa Marziale, respondent, you are hereby notified that the the subpoena and alias subpoena in this case have been returned "Non est inventus," you are therefore required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., on the first Monday of April, 1914, to answer the libel and complaint filed therein, and show cause, if any you have, why a divorce from the bonds of matrimony should not be granted the libellant above named. MART A. KIEFER, Sheriff. Sheriff's office, March 4, 1914 7mar4t-sat

Divorce Notice.

Leonard & Younkin Attorneys

JULIA CLARIDGE, BY HER NEXT friend, Carl Gavlik vs Martin Claridge. In the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., No 392 December Term, 1913 To Martin Claridge, respondent, you are hereby notified that the subpoena and alias subpoena in this case have been returned "Non est inventus," you are therefore required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa. on the third Monday of March of said court, A. D. 1914, to answer the libel and complaint filed therein, and show cause, if any you have, why a divorce from the bonds of matrimony should not be granted the libellant above named MART A. KIEFER Sheriff Sheriff's office, February 20, 1914 21feb4t-sat

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Sunday Meetings Engage the Attention of a Great Many Men.

W. H. REED IS COMING BACK

The Publication of Signers of Applications for Liquor License Causes Some Comment it Seems; Other Notes of News of the Mill Town.

SCOTTDALE, March 14.—Interest is concentrated on the Sunday afternoon meeting for men and boys at the Presbyterian Church at 2 30 o clock tomorrow afternoon. For weeks these Sunday afternoon gatherings have been drawing men and boys in such numbers as to tax the capacity of the church. The speaker for tomorrow will be W. H. Reed of Pittsburg, a member of the Gideons, the great religious organization among traveling salesmen. Mr. Reed has been here once before this winter and stirred the audience to a great pitch of enthusiasm by his vivid, ringing talk. Music, of course, will be a prime feature of the afternoon, and requests have been made for the ministers' quartet to appear again.

Preparations have been made for special evenings next week. The Knights of Malta will turn out in a body on Wednesday evening, and Friday evening has been accepted by the Odd Fellows. Saturday evening will be high school evening, and it is expected that the youngsters will furnish some enthusiasm.

The Moose is another lodge that will have a special night. They are to go to the Methodist Church on Thursday evening Cards have been sent out by Secretary J W Campbell urging each member to be at the new Moose home on Broadway at 7 o'clock sharp that evening. They expect to have a very large turnout to march to the place of worship.

Tomorrow morning the regular church services of Sunday School and preaching, will be held, and in the evening the Presbyterian and Methodist churches will have meetings at 7 30 o'clock It is expected that Dr. I. E. Runk will preach at the former and Dr. H. D. Allen at the latter church.

CAUSED SOME TALK.

The distribution of hand bills containing an excerpt from the records of the license court of Westmoreland county, giving the names of the applicants for license, the name of their hotel, the owner of the property, the attorneys appearing for the applicants, the names of the sureties, and the signers to the application, for license for the hotels of Scottdale, were distributed to every home in Scottdale yesterday. There was no secret about the ones who had them published for at the bottom of the circular appeared the line, "Published by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Scottdale, Pa" While the whole proceeding upon the part of the applicants was according to law there was a good deal of talk about it, since the names were interesting. No local attorney appeared for the applicants nor local people were on the bonds of any hotel. Greensburg attorneys and city bonding concerns appearing in the matter. Some of those whose names appeared, from their own statements, it seems, would just as soon that the names had reposed in the court archives, instead of being given publicity as court records.

OPERATED ON.

Mail Carrier Charles H. Stoner is another of Scottdale's victims of appendicitis having undergone an operation for that ailment at the Mount Pleasant Hospital on Thursday evening Mr Stoner came to work at the postoffice on Wednesday, but went home, after consulting with a doctor, who told Mr. Stoner that he was threatened with appendicitis John Kesner, the substitute carrier, is covering Mr. Stoner's route during the latter's absence in the hospital

MRS BLACKBURN HOME.

Mrs. J. E Blackburn, wife of the well known West Pittsburg street contractor is home from a stay at the Mount Pleasant Hospital, where she was operated on some weeks ago

CULLER IN CHARGE.

Carl H Culler has taken charge of the Mrs Maggie Kennell grocery, taking the place of Van Gaffney, who will take a rest on account of failing health Mr. Gaffney expects to go to Cresson for a few weeks' stay.

DAUGHTER BORN.

Dr I E. Runk, pastor of the United Brethren Church, is receiving the congratulations of friends, over the advent at his home of a little daughter.

AT FUNERAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J Springer were in Bellevernon this week attending the funeral of Mrs. Mattie Truxal, wife of L. M. Truxal, editor of the Bellevernon Enterprise Mrs Truxal was an aunt of Mr. and Mrs. Springer.

GOOD GUTTERS.

The wisdom of Street Commissioner Ben Gibson in having trenches dug in the ice of the streets and close to the curb, was shown during the thaw of the week The streets were more than curb high with the snow and ice, and those gutters have been filled with water, while the streets have kept in much better condition than they would have been had there been no water courses to carry the melting snow away, and it would have had to run down the middle of the streets.

FELL ON ICE.

Mrs Rizzo, an Italian woman, who slipped and fell on the icy street, Tuesday evening, and who it was at first thought had injured herself seriously, is able to be up, and seems in good way of recovering

Photographer H. J. Springer will attend the meeting of the State Photographers' Association at Scranton, which opens on Monday, and expects to pick up some new ideas on the photographic art. Mr Springer is having his studio enlarged during his absence, and this work will continue until the end of the month it is expected.

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CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, March 14—Mrs. John Davis has returned from a visit with her daughter Miss Mary Kate at Homestead, and friends in Connellsville.

Owing to a Confluence & Oakland engine breaking down Thursday at Friendsville, the evening passenger train was very late arriving last night.

H. R Hileman and Mrs Tedrow have returned to their home in Braddock after being at Addison attending the funeral of their aunt Miss Charlotte Wass

Ray Show is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. B Maddox at Fairmont, W. Va.

A. G. Black's Sons Company are making plans to convert the residence adjoining their dry goods and notions store in a grocery store.

John O'Rourke, a Baltimore & Ohio employe of Hyndman, was a business visitor in town yesterday

Mr. and Mrs. E E. Hollinger were called to Akron, O, yesterday by the sudden death of a relative

Mrs. E. E. McDonald was in Connellsville Thursday.

Jacob Kern of Addison township was in town yesterday.

Rev. A. J. Bird has returned to his home in Johnstown. after visiting friends here and at Harnedsville.

J. W McCollough was here yesterday on his way to his home in Friendsville. He has for several months been engaged in the lumber business in West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Largent passed through here yesterday on their way home in Addison after spending two weeks visiting their sons, Hiram and Roy in Morgantown, W. Va.

Mrs. Raymond Reynolds has gone to Pittsburg where she will visit friends for some time

Elijah McClintock of near Dumas, was a recent business visitor here and reports his brother Stephen who was brought home from the Mercy Hospital, about a week ago, to be improving.

The special meeting at Johnson Chapel still continues with unabated interest. The church is being revived and much good is being done.

J. Wilkins, a well known farmer of Addison township, was here on business yesterday.

Jacob Prevore, 24 years old, died at his home in Ursina, after two weeks' illness of pneumonia. He was a member of the Knights of the Maccabees of this place and a member of church. He leaves a wife and one child and several brothers. Burial at Ursina Sunday

CONFLUENCE, March 13—A fire which caught from the chimney in a house near the Christian Church owned by Mrs A. A Ilinger and occupied by Bert Teat, burned the roof and part of the second story of the building. All of the household goods on the second floor was also burned.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hileman were among those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Charlotte Wass in Addison yesterday.

Charles Stark the contractor, is engaged in converting the Thrasher Opera House into a general store which will be operated by W. J. Murphy.

Charles McMullin, superintendent of the Somerset Fuel Company at Listenburg, was in town yesterday,

W. W. Frazee was in Connellsville yesterday.

William Boor, a B. & O. engineer of Adams, has returned there after visiting his family here for a few days.

H. L. Sellers is on the sick list.

Prof R. K Smith, supervising principal of the Dubnar township schools, was here yesterday on his way to Somerfield.

Rev Buckner of the Christian Church, Somerset, has returned home. He delivered an address at the banquet of the Bible classes of the Christian Church here Teusday evening.

Cal Weyant of near Pittsburg, was here a few days this week visiting his mother and other relatives

P. D Weyand, who was here with his family for several months, has returned to McDonald, where he is employed by Ney & McDonald.

The new board of health was organized yesterday.

W D Barclay, carpenter foreman for the B & O. at Garrett, was a business visitor here yesterday.

The Young Men's Organized Class of the secondary department of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school met at the home of their teacher Mrs. Laura McDonald Tuesday night and elected the following officers: President, Albert Black, Jr; vice president, Lloyd Hollinger; secretary, Samuel Grantz, treasurer, Clyde Brown.

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ELIZABETH, N J., March 14—The famous "poison pen" case, involving some of the leading wealthy society people of this section, gained wide notoriety because of its sensational features. Mrs. Nelson L. Pollard was charged with sending scurrilous letters anonymously to her next door neighbor, Mrs. Charles F. Jones.

These letters, written on a typewriter, were also sent to other members of the same society set in which the two principals moved. Mrs Pollard indignantly denied the charges, and the trial, after months of delay, found the social world split in in two over the "poison pen" case. Mrs. John Livinggood, sister of Mrs Jones, was also involved as a witness in the trial.

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INDIAN CREEK.

INDIAN CREEK, March 13.—Clam Funkhouser of Mill Run, is a business caller in Connellsville today.

George Bigam of Mill Run, is transacting business in Connellsville today.

A. W. Sipe of Mill Run, is a Connellsville business visitor today.

Patterson Matthews of Jones Mill, is spending today among Connellsville friends.

H. H. May of Mill Run, is calling on Connellsville friends and relatives today.

James McCoy of near Killarney Park, is a business caller at Connellsville and Uniontown today

S M. Hutchinson of Mill Run, is transacting business in Connellsville today

R C. English returned home last evening, after a few days spent in Pittsburg transacting business,

Miss Nancy Lysinger of Connellsville, is spending a few days among friends at Jones Mill.

M E Frazee of Connellsville, is along the Indian Creek valley today on business.

Jake Cole of Mill Run, is a Connellsville business caller today.

Brady Ridenour, regular Baltimore & Ohio watchman here, is off duty for a few nights

J. I. Rogers returned from Connellsville this morning, after attending the funeral of his father-in-law, Mr Adams

Mr. and Mrs S. C Brooks returned from Connellsville this morning, where they spent a day among friends and relatives They left for their home at Davistown over the Indian Creek Valley railroad

Richard Murry was a business caller here this morning

The protracted meeting started here last evening

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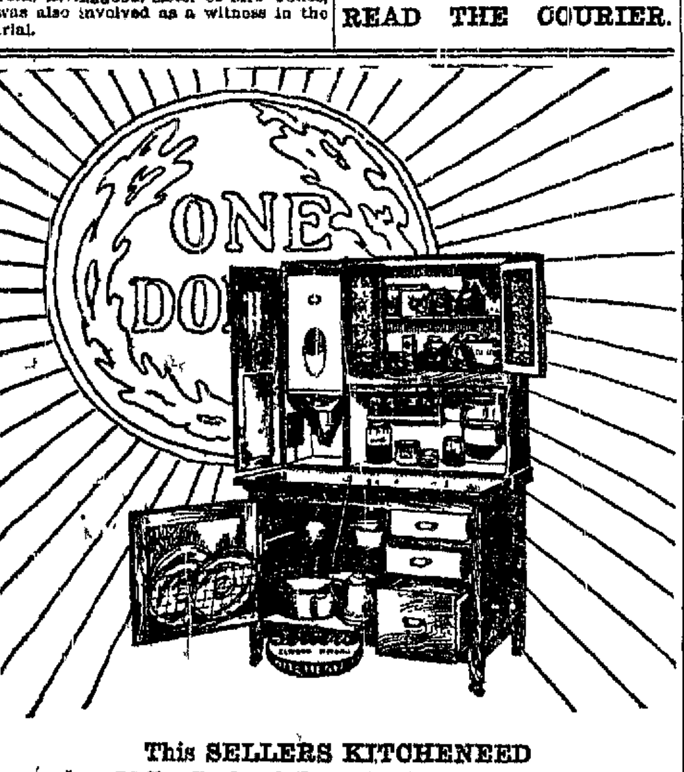

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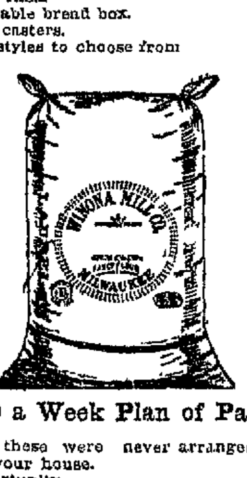

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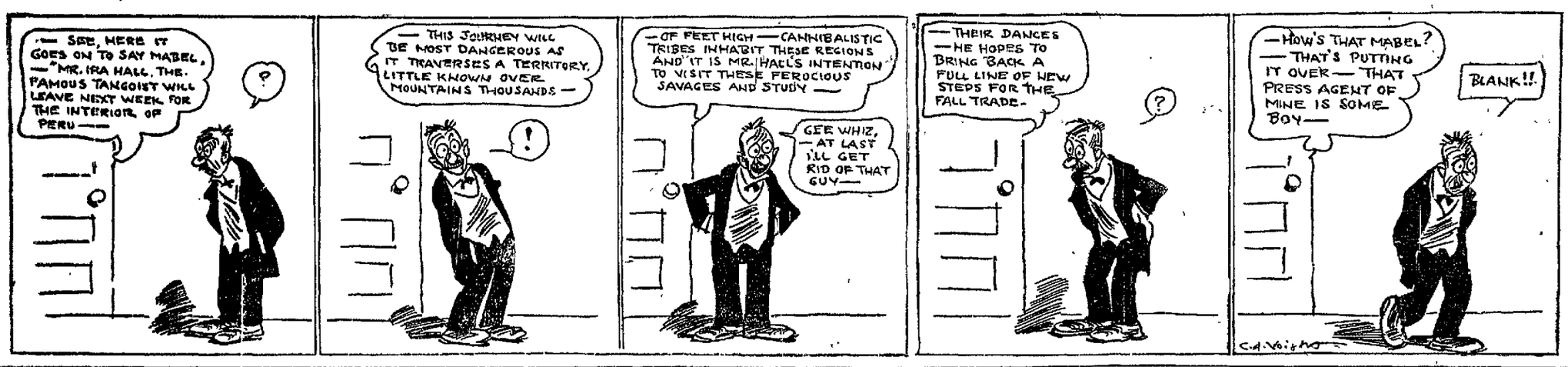

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BIBLE STUDY ON

LAWFUL ON THE SABBATH.

Luke 13:10-17; 14:1-6—March 15.

"The Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath."—Mark 2:27.

MUCH confusion prevails respecting the Sabbath. Few realize that God's arrangements with Jesus' followers are totally different from those which He made with Natural Israel under the Law Covenant. Everything under that Covenant contained a valuable lesson for Christians; but to mistake type for antitype is to confuse our minds and to miss the force of the antitype.

There was no Sabbath before the Jewish Law, except that God rested on the seventh great Day of the Creative Week. Enoch, Abraham, and others pleasing to God, knew nothing about the Sabbath, even as they knew nothing about the Atonement Day sacrifices or other matters appertaining to Israel's Law Covenant.

Israel a House of Servants—the Church a House of Sons.

Israel was a House of Servants, under Moses, but the Church is a House of Sons, under Christ. (Hebrews 3:1-6.) God's method of dealing with the House of Servants very properly differed from His method with the House of Sons. Commands are given servants without explanation why or wherefore. But to the true Christian the Heavenly Father makes known His purposes, that His sons may sympathetically enter into those plans, by joyful obedience to the extent of self-sacrifice.

Confusion on the Sabbath Day.

Jesus and the Apostles were Jews, and were under the Law Covenant until Jesus by His death became "the end of the Law for righteousness to every one that believeth." Since then Jesus' followers are in no sense bound by the Jewish Law. In dealing with the House of Sons God, through the Head of that House, has set up a new Law, which means much more than Moses' Law was understood to signify. It is the Law of Love. Jesus said, "A new commandment I give you, That ye love one another as I have loved you."

Early in the Gospel Dispensation Jesus' followers began to meet on the first day of the week. Jesus arose from the dead on that day, and appeared several times to His followers. Apparently it became a custom amongst the disciples to fellowship on that day because of their desire to remember the Master. Quite probably they kept the Sabbath as well, for a time. Evidently they had difficulty in realizing how completely they had passed from the domination of Moses' Law to be under the Headship of Jesus.

To Do Good on the Sabbath.

Jesus did many of His miracles on the Sabbath, partly no doubt to emphasize the fact that the Great Sabbath, the seventh thousand-year Day of earth's history, will be the time of His Kingdom, in which mankind will be privileged to be healed from sin, sorrow and pain, and brought to the full perfection of human nature lost in Eden and redeemed at Calvary.

Since Jesus was a Jew, and therefore bound by the Jewish Law, He could do nothing contrary to that Law. But He corrected certain misapprehensions of the Law, which had crept in through the teachings of the Doctors of the Law and the Pharisees. For show these exaggerated the letter of the Law in some respects, while entirely ignoring its spirit. In various ways they made God's Law appear unreasonable and while particular in inconsiderable trifles they set aside the much more weighty matters of justice, love and mercy.

In today's lesson, we have two instances of healing on the Sabbath. Jesus healed a woman who had been bowed down for eighteen years with an infirmity. But the ruler of the synagogue was indignant, and said to the people, "There are six days in which you can come and be healed, rather than on the Sabbath. This was intended as a special rebuke to Jesus, intimating that He violated the Law. But the Lord's reply put His adversaries to shame.

Tarcshing Wheat on the Sabbath.

The other case was that of a man troubled with dropsy. Jesus, knowing their mental attitude, discussed the subject in advance, asking the Doctors of the Law and the Pharisees, "Is it lawful to heal on the Sabbath, or not?" They made no answer. Then He healed the sick man, and inquired of the critics, "Which of you having an ass or an ox fall into a pit would not straightway draw him out on a Sabbath day?" They could not answer.

A proper understanding of the Sabbath, the rest which God has provided for His people, is a great blessing—a perpetual joy. Without regard to which day, the Apostle suggests that we forsake not the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; and so much the more as we see the glorious Day of Messiah's Kingdom approaching, and the shadows of darkness, ignorance and superstition passing away.—Hebrews 10:25.

Greeting One's Hostess.

At a reception attended by men as well as women they enter the room together, stand first before the first hostess of the occasion, as there is always a head for such affairs, and greet her. She in turn presents them to any of the others in the receiving line that they are not acquainted with.

At a private house it is the lady of the house who greets them. If they do not know her they can easily introduce themselves, when the man says "This is Mrs. Blank, is it not?" She replies that it is.

He may then say, "I am Mr. B. and wish to introduce my wife" (or whoever the lady is that is with him). Mrs. Blank should say she is pleased to see him, and in turn she presents him and the lady to the others in the receiving line.

At a very large, semipublic affair there is usually a master of ceremonies. He is supposed to make all introductions. If he is not personally acquainted with those invited he takes their cards and introduces them by name to all in the receiving line.

A Convenient Dressing.

A most efficient antiseptic wet dressing, poultice and cold pack may be made in the following manner: Soak a sufficient amount of gauze in one part of alcohol to three parts of water. Apply to the part to be treated thoroughly wet, just short of dripping; cover with rubber tissue and bind firmly with a bandage. Such an application many times takes the place of an icebag in reducing swellings or acute inflammation. On the other hand, it will hasten suppuration of a boil or abscess that cannot be aborted as well as the old flaxseed poultice.

This alcohol dressing should be renewed every twelve hours. If the bandage is put on tightly, so that no air gets under the rubber tissue, the dressing becomes a warm one, acting like a poultice. If the bandage is put on more loosely, so that air gets under the rubber tissue, allowing the alcoholic solution to evaporate slowly, the dressing is a cold one, acting like an ice bag.

After Theater Suppers.

Usually for an after the theater supper a menu has already been prepared and ordered served at such an hour. If left to guests each should express some preference, never anything the most extravagant, but the preference, say, for tea or coffee or whatever is really wished. If wine is to be taken the men of the party do the ordering; but, as a rule, the affair is thought out and proposed by some especial member.

English Greetings.

Erasmus, coming to England in Henry VIII.'s time, was struck with the deep heartiness of our wishes—good, aye, and bad, too, but he most admired the good ones. Other nations ask in their greetings how a man carries himself, or how doth he stand with the world, or how doth he find himself. But the English greet with a pious wish that God may give one a good morning or a good evening, good day or "god'e'en," as the old writers have it, and when we part we wish that "God may be with you" though we now clip it into "Goodby."—Priswell.

MESSIAH'S KINGDOM.

The Glorious Day of Divine Favor is Nearing.

The period in which sin is permitted has been a dark night to humanity, never to be forgotten; but the glorious day of righteousness and divine favor is soon to be ushered in by Messiah. He, as the SUN OF RIGHTEOUSNESS, shall arise and shine fully and clearly into and upon all, bringing healing and blessing, which will more than counterbalance the dreadful night of weeping, sighing, pain, sickness and death, in which the groaning creation has been so long. "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the MORNING."

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Bank Statements.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF VANDERBILT, at Vanderbilt, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 4, 1914.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$124,353.75
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		19.82
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		4,450.00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		9,500 00
Due from approved reserve agents		22,080.82
Checks and other cash items		307.82
Notes of other National Banks		465.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		181.19
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$8,400.95	
Legal - tender notes	2,050 00	10,450.95
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		1,250.00
Total		$193,059.45

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund		10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		2,943.96
National Bank Notes outstanding		24,800.00
Dividends unpaid		36.00
Individual deposits subject to check	$ 68,145.73	
Demand certificates of deposit	2,357.39	
Time certificates of deposit	64,072.12	
Certified checks	310.38	
Cashier's checks outstanding	593.37	135,479.49
Total		$198,059.45

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, W. A. Cosgrove, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. A. COSGROVE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of March, 1914.

M. DERENCIN, Notary Public.

J. F. BLACK,
F. G. OGLEVEE,
G. B. ROBERTS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE UNION NATIONAL BANK, at Connellsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 4, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$205,463.34
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		818.27
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		19,340.00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		34,380.00
Due from approved reserve agents		9,515.52
Checks and other cash items		1,241.11
Exchanges for clearing house		8,722.02
Notes of other National Banks		3,300.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		1,343.04
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$13,873.30	
Legal - tender notes	2,020.00	15,893 30
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500.00
Total		$347,517.10

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 50 000.00
Surplus fund		40,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		4,816.61
National Bank Notes outstanding		40,200.00
Individual deposits subject to check		187,499.81
Time certificates of deposit		10,000.00
Total		$347,517.10

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, Jas. C. Long, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAS C LONG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of March, 1914.

WM. S YARD, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest

WM BOWLIN,
JAMES J. BARNHART,
CHAS. B. FRANKS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE COLONIAL NATIONAY BANK, at Connellsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 4, 1914.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$346,438.79
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		123.14
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		2,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		9,426 10
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		72,500.00
Other real estate owned		10,354.30
Due from approved reserve agents		22,150.66
Checks and other cash items		277.59
Exchanges for clearing house		3,750.52
Notes of other National Banks		4,855.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		428.45
Foreign money		275.30
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$18,941.50	
Legal - tender notes	3,750.00	22,691.50
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000.00
Total		$600,677 35

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$100,000.00
Surplus fund		33,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		1,307.71
National Bank Notes outstanding		98,400.00
Due to other National Banks		6,273 29
Dividends unpaid		71.00
Individual deposits subject to check	$331,199.48	
Demand certificates of deposit	3,554.80	
Time certificates of deposit	4,816.00	
Certified checks	802 90	340,373.13
Notes and bills rediscounted		10,100.00
Bills payable, including obligations for money borrowed		11,152.17
Total		$600,677.35

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, H. E. Schenck, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. E. SCHENCK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1914.

ALFONSO BASILONE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

P. H. BEIGHLEY,
HARRY DUNN,
W. N. LECHE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, at Dunbar, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 4, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$131,485.37
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		475.08
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		80,094.93
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		13,840.07
Due from approved reserve agents		24,801.81
Checks and other cash items		4,069.38
Notes of other National Banks		3,145.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		184.59
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$8,010.15	
Legal - tender notes	1,100.00	10,010.15
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer		300.00
Total		$271,906 28

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund		30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		3,443.21
National Bank Notes outstanding		50,000 00
Dividends unpaid		45.00
Individual deposits subject to check		136,618.07
Demand certificates of deposit		1,800.00
Total		$271,906.28

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I C. D. Kimball, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. D KIMBALL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1914.

D. WILLIAMS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JOHN S. CARROLL,
JOHN WISHART,
CHAS. E. WILSON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF DAWSON, at Dawson in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 4, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$412,754.52
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,063.66
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		78,508 97
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		27,133.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		288.97
Due from approved reserve agents		179,492.33
Checks and other cash items		257.75
Notes of other National Banks		12,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		95.91
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$37,991.00	
Legal - tender notes	750 00	38,741.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500.00
Total		$802,846 11

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund		165,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		11,966.84
National Bank Notes outstanding		49,400.00
Due to other National Banks		1,838.24
Due to trust companies and savings banks		143.58
Individual deposits subject to check		524,558.77
Cashier's checks outstanding		418.68
Total		$802,846.11

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, R. D. Henry, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. D. HENRY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 1914.

A. VAN HORN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

M. M. COCHRAN,
A. C. SHERRARD,
J. H. PRICE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, at Ferrypolis, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 4, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$343,720 69
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		367.35
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		56,042.42
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		2,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	1,651.17	
Due from approved reserve agents	86,527.04	
Checks and other cash items	127.50	
Notes of other national banks	10,010.00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	231.36	
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	30,190.25	
Legal - tender notes	5,480.00	134,208.22
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500.00
Total		$588,338.22

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00	
Surplus fund	30,000.00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,473.98	135,473.98
National Bank Notes outstanding		49,980.00
Dividends unpaid	25 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	403,216.62	
Cashier's checks outstanding	142.68	403,384.30
Total		$588,838.28

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, Howard Adams, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOWARD ADAMS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 1914.

EDMUND MARTIN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

CLAYTON T. DAVIDSON,
ALFRED M FULLER,
J. H. [illegible],
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK OF CONNELLSVILLE, at Connellsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 4, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$569,500.11
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000.00
Other bonds to secure postal savings	$19,143.20	19,143.20
Premiums on U. S. bonds		3,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		61,500.00
Other real estate owned		11,459.08
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		38.14
Due from approved reserve agents		84,612.23
Checks and other cash items		7,902.36
Notes of other National Banks		275.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		195.35
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$14,134.15	
Legal - tender notes	20,000.00	34,134.15
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000.00
Total		$896,756.06

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$100,000 00
Surplus fund		125,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		23,772.64
National Bank Notes outstanding		98,400.00
Dividends unpaid		165.00
Individual deposits subject to check	$490,046 69	
Demand certificates of deposit	48,556.42	
Certified checks	33.00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	674.25	
Postal savings deposits	16,108.06	549,418.42
Total		$896,756.06

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, James L. Kurtz, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES L. KURTZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1914.

J. B. KURTZ, Notary Public.

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"To me!"

"You induced her to sit to me."

"So I did," said Leslie sourly. "I was Mr. Fix-it sure enough." He allowed a short interval to elapse before taking the plunge. "I suppose, old chap, if I should happen to need your valuable services as best man in the near future, you'd not disappoint me?"

Booth eyed him quizzically. ".. trust you're not throwing yourself away, Les," he said drily. "I mean to say, on some one—well, some one not quite up to the mark."

Leslie regarded him with some severity. "Of course not, old chap. What the devil put that into your head?"

"I thought that possibly you'd been making a chump of yourself up in the Maine woods."

"Piffle! Don't be an ass. What's the sense pretending you don't know who she is?"

"I suppose it's Hetty Castleton," said Booth, puffing away at his pipe.

"Who else?"

"Think she'll have you, old man?" asked Booth, after a moment.

"I don't know," replied the other, a bit dashed. "You might wish me luck, though."

Booth knocked the burnt tobacco from the bowl of his pipe. A serious line appeared between his eyes. He was a fair-minded fellow, without guile, without a single treacherous instinct.

"I can't wish you luck, Les," he said slowly. "You see I'm—I'm in love with her myself."

"The devil!" Leslie sat bolt upright, and glared at him. "I might have known! And—and is she in love with you?"

"My dear fellow, you reveal considerable lack of tact in asking that question."

"What I want to know is this," exclaimed Wrandall, very pale but very hot: "is she going to marry you?"

Booth smiled. "I'll be perfectly frank with you. She says she won't."

Leslie gulped. "So you've asked her!"

"Obviously."

"And she said she wouldn't? She refused you? Turned you down?" His little mustache shot up at the ends and a joyous, triumphant laugh broke

"Tell Me—Tell Me, Now—on Your Soul, Hetty—"

from his lips. "Oh, this is rich! Ha, ha! Turned you down, eh? Poor old Brandy! You're my best friend, and dammit I'm sorry. I mean to say," he went on in some embarrassment, "I'm sorry for you. Of course, you can hardly expect me to—er—"

"Certainly not," accepted Booth amiably. "I quite understand."

"Then, since she's refused you, you might wish me better luck."

"That would mean giving up hope."

"Hope?" exclaimed Leslie quickly. "You don't mean to say you'll annoy her with your—"

"No. I shall not annoy her," replied his friend, shaking his head.

"Well, I should hope not," said Leslie with a scowl. "Turned you down, eh? 'Pon my soul!" He appeared to be relishing the idea of it. "Sorry, old chap, but I suppose you understand just what that means."

Booth's lips hardened for an instant, then relaxed into a queer, almost pitying smile.

"And you want me to be your best man?" he said reflectively.

Leslie arose. His chest seemed to swell a little; assuredly he was breathing much easier. He assumed an air of compassion.

"I shan't insist, old fellow, if you feel you'd rather not—er— See what I mean?" It then occurred to him to utter a word or two of kindly advice. "I shouldn't go on moping if I were you, Brandy. 'Pon my soul, I shouldn't. Take it like a man. I know it hurts, but— Pooh! What's the use aggravating the pain by butting against a stone wall?"

His companion looked out over the tree tops, his hands in his trousers pockets, and it must be confessed that his manner was not that of one who is oppressed by despair.

"I think I'm taking it like a man, Les," he said. "I only hope you'll take it as nicely if she says nay to you."

An uneasy look leaped into Leslie's face. He seemed noticeably less corpulent about the chest. He wondered if Booth knew anything about his initial venture. A question rose to his lips, but he thought quickly and held it back. Instead, he glanced at his watch.

"I must be off. See you tomorrow, I hope."

"So long," said Booth, stopping at the top of the steps while his visitor skipped down to the gate with a nimbleness that suggested the formation of a sudden resolve.

Leslie did not waste time in parting insipidities he strode off briskly in the direction of home, but not without a furtive glance out of the tail of his eye as he disappeared beyond the hedgerow at the end of Booth's garden. That gentleman was standing where he had left him, and was filling his pipe once more.

The day was warm, and Leslie was in a dripping perspiration when he reached home. He did not enter the house but made his way direct to the garage.

"Get out the car at once, Brown," was his order.

Three minutes later he was being driven over the lower road toward Southlook, taking good care to avoid Booth's place by the matter of a mile or more. He was in a fever of hope and eagerness. It was very plain to him why she had refused Booth. The iron was hot. He didn't intend to lose any time in striking.

And now we know why he came again to Sara's in the middle of a blazing afternoon, instead of waiting until the more seductive shades of night had fallen, when the moon sat serene in the seat of the Mighty.

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He didn't have to wait long for Hetty. Up to the instant of her appearance in the door, he had reveled in the thought that the way was now paved with roses. But with her entrance, he felt his confidence and courage slipping. Perhaps that may explain the abruptness with which he proceeded to go about the business in hand.

"I couldn't wait till tonight," he explained as she came slowly across the room toward him. She was halfway to him before he awoke to the fact that he was standing perfectly still. Then he started forward, somehow impelled to meet her at least half-way. "You'll forgive me, Hetty, if I have disturbed you."

"I was not lying down, Mr. Wrandall," she said quietly. There was nothing ominous in the words, but he experienced a sudden sensation of cold. "Won't you sit down? Or would you rather go out to the terrace?"

"It's much more comfortable here, if you don't mind. I—I suppose you know what it is I want to say to you. You—"

"Yes," she interrupted wearily; "and knowing as much, Mr. Wrandall, it would not be fair of me to let you go on."

"Not fair?" he said, in honest amazement. "But, my dear, I—"

"Please, Mr. Wrandall," she exclaimed, with a pleading little smile that would have touched the heart of anyone but Leslie. "Please don't go on. It is quite as impossible now as it was before. I have not changed."

He could only say, mechanically: "You haven't?"

"No. I am sorry if you have thought that I might come to—"

"Think, for heaven's sake, think what you are doing!" he cried, feeling for the edge of the table with a support-seeking hand. "I—I had Sara's word that you were not—"

"Unfortunately Sara cannot speak for me in a matter of this kind. Thank you for the honor you would—"

"Honor be hanged!" he blurted out, losing his temper. "I love you! It's a purely selfish thing with me, and I'm blowed if I consider it an honor to be refused by any woman. I—"

"Mr. Wrandall!" she cried, fixing him with her flashing, indignant eyes. "You are forgetting yourself." She was standing very straight and slim and imperious before him.

He quailed. "I—I beg your pardon. I—I—"

"There is nothing more to be said," she went on icily. "Goodby."

"Would you mind telling me whether there is anyone else?" he asked, as he turned toward the door.

"Do you really feel that you have the right to ask that question, Mr. Wrandall?"

He wet his lips with his tongue. "Then, there is some one!" he cried, rapping the table with his knuckles. He didn't realize till afterward how rigorously he rapped. "Some confounded English nobody, I suppose."

She smiled, not unkindly. "There is no English nobody, if that answers your question."

"Then, will you be kind enough to offer a reason for not giving me a fair chance in a clear field? I think it's due—"

"Can't you see how you are distressing me? Must I again go through that horrid scene in the garden? Can't you take a plain no for an answer?"

"Good Lord!" he gasped, and in those two words he revealed the complete overturning of a lifelong estimate of himself. It seemed to take more than his breath away.

"Goodby," she said with finality.

He stared at the door through which she disappeared, his hopes, his conceit, his self-regard trailing after her with shameless disloyalty to the standards he had set for them, and then, with a rather ghastly smile of self-commiseration on his lips, he slipped out of the house, jumped into the motor car, and gave a brief but explicit command to the chauffeur, who lost no time in assisting his mas-

Leslie Sat Bolt Upright and Glared at Him.

ter to turn tail in ignominious flight.

Hetty was gloomily but resolutely employed in laying out certain of her personal belongings, preparatory to packing them for departure, when Sara entered her room.

They regarded each other steadily, questioningly for a short space of time.

Leslie has just called up to ask 'what the devil' I meant by letting him make a fool of himself," said Sara, with a peculiar little twisted smile on her lips.

Hetty offered no comment, but after a moment gravely and rather wistfully called attention to her present occupation by a significant flaunt of her hand and a saddened smile.

"I see," said Sara, without emotion. "If you choose to go, Hetty, I shall not oppose you."

"My position here is a false one, Sara. I prefer to go."

"This morning I should have held a sword over your head."

"It is very difficult for me to realize all that has happened."

"You are free to depart. You are free in every sense of the word. Your future rests with yourself, my dear."

"It hurts me more than I can tell to feel that you have been hating me all these months."

"It hurts me—now."

Hetty walked to the window and looked out.

"What are your plans?" Sara inquired, after an interval.

"I shall seek employment—and wait for you to act."

"I? You mean?"

"I shall not run away, Sara. Nor do I intend to reveal myself to the authorities. I am not morally guilty of crime. A year ago I feared the consequences of my deed, but I have learned much since then. I was a stranger in a new world. In England we have been led to believe that you lynch women here as readily as you lynch men. I now know better than that. From you alone I learned my greatest lesson. You revealed to me the true meaning of human kindness. You shielded me who should not. Even now I believe that your first impulse was a tender one. I shall not forget it, Sara. You will live to regret the baser thought that came later on. I have loved you—yes, almost as a good dog loves his master. It is not for me to tell the story of that night and all these months to the world. I would not be betraying myself, but you. You would be called upon to explain, not I. And you would be the one to suffer. When you met me on the road that night I was on my way back to the inn to give myself into custody. You have made it impossible for me to do so now. My lips are sealed. It rests with you, Sara."

Sara joined her in the broad window. There was a strangely exalted look in her face. A gilded birdcage hung suspended in the casement. Without a word, she threw open the window screen. The gay little canary in the gilded cage cocked his head and watched her with alert eyes. Then she reached up and gently removed the cage from its fastenings. Putting it down upon the window sill, she opened the tiny door. The bird hopped about his prison in a state of great excitement.

Hetty looked on, fascinated.

At last a yellow streak shot out through the open door and an instant later resolved itself into the bobbing, fluttering dicky-bird that had lived in a cage all its life without an hour of freedom. For a few seconds it circled over the tree tops and then alighted on one of the branches. One might well have imagined that he could hear its tiny heart beating with terror. Its wings were half-raised and fluttering, its head jerking from side to side in wild perturbation. Taking courage, Master Dicky hopped timorously to a nearby twig, and then ventured a flight to a tree top nearer the window casement. Perched in its topmost branches he chepped shrilly, as if there was fear in his little breast.

In silence the two women in the window watched the agitated movements of the bird. The same thought was in the mind of each, the same question, the same intense wish.

A brown thrush sped through the air, close by the timid canary. Like a flash it dropped to the twigs lower down, its wings palpitating in violent alarm.

"Dicky!" called Sara Wrandall, and then cheeped between her teeth.

A moment later Dicky was fluttering about the eaves; his circles grew smaller, his winging less rhythmical, till at last with a nervous little flutter he perched on the top of the window shutter, so near that they might have reached to him with their hands. He sat there with his head cocked to one side.

"Dicky!" called Sara again. This time she held out her finger. For some time he regarded it with indifference, not to say disfavor. Then he took one more flight, but much shorter than the first, bringing up again at the shutter-top. A second later he hopped down and his little talons gripped Sara's finger with an earnestness that left no room for doubt.

She lowered her hand until it was even with the open door of the gilded cage. He shot inside with a whir that suggested a scramble. With his wings folded, he sat on his little trapeze and cheeped. She closed and fastened the door, and then turned to Hetty.

"My symbol," she said softly.

There were tears in Hetty's eyes.

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Leslie did not turn up at his father's place in the High street that night until Booth was safely out of the way. He spent a dismal evening at the boat club.

His father and mother were in the library when he came home at half-past ten. From a dark corner of the garden he had witnessed Booth's early departure. Vivian had gone down to the gate in the lowlying hedge with her visitor. She came in a moment after Leslie's entrance.

"Hello, Les," she said, bending an inquiring eye upon him. "Isn't this early for you?"

Her brother was standing near the fireplace.

"There's a heavy dew falling, Mater," he said gruffly. "Shan't I touch a match to the kindling?"

His mother came over to him quickly, and laid her hand on his arm.

"Your coat is damp," she said anxiously. "Yes, light the fire."

"It's very warm in this room," said Mr. Wrandall, looking up from his book. They were always doing something for Leslie's comfort.

No one seemed to notice him. Leslie knelt and struck a match.

"Well?" said Vivian.

"Well what?" he demanded without looking up.

His sister took a moment for thought. "Is Hetty coming to stay with us in July?"

He stood erect, first rubbing his knee to dislodge the dust—then his palms.

"No, she isn't coming," he said. He drew a very long breath—the first in several hours—and then expelled it vocally. "She has refused to marry me."

Mr. Wrandall turned a leaf in his book; it sounded like the crack of doom, so still had the room become.

Vivian had the forethought to push a chair toward her mother. It was a most timely act on her part, for Mrs. Wrandall sat down very abruptly and very limply.

"She — what?" gasped Leslie's mother.

"Turned me down—cold," said Leslie briefly.

Mr. Wrandall laid his book on the table without thinking to put the bookmark in place. Then he arose and removed his glasses, fumbling for the case.

"She—she—what?" he demanded.

"Sacked me," replied his son.

"Please do not jest with me, Leslie," said his mother, trying to smile.

"He isn't joking, mother," said Vivian, with a shrug of her fine shoulders.

"He—he must be," cried Mrs. Wrandall impatiently. "What did she really say, Leslie?"

"The only thing I remember, was 'goodby,'" said he, and then blew his nose violently.

"Poor old Les!" said Vivian, with real feeling.

"It was Sara Gooch's doing!" exclaimed Mrs. Wrandall, getting her breath at last.

"Nonsense," said Mr. Wrandall, picking up his book once more and turning to the place where the bookmark lay, after which he proceeded to re-read four or five pages before discovering his error.

No one spoke for a matter of five minutes or more. Then Mrs. Wrandall got up, went over to the library table and closed, with a snap the bulky blue book with the limp leather cover, saying as she held it up to let him see that it was the privately printed history of the Murgatroyd family:

"It came by post this evening from London. She is merely a fourth cousin, my son."

He looked up with a gleam of interest in his eye.

CHAPTER XIV.

Crossing the Channel.

Booth, restless with a vague uneasiness that had come over him during the night, keeping him awake until nearly dawn, was hard put during the early hours of the forenoon to find occupation for his interest until a seasonable time arrived for appearing at Southlook. He was unable to account for this feeling of uncertainty and irritation.

At nine he set out to walk over to Southlook, realizing that he should have to spend an hour in profitless gossip with the lodge keeper before presenting himself at the villa, but somehow relishing the thought that even so he would be nearer to Hetty than if he remained in his own dooryard.

Half-way there we was overtaken by Sara's big French machine returning from the village. The car came to a standstill as he stepped aside to let it pass, and Sara herself leaned over and cordially invited him to get in and ride home with her.

"What an early bird you are," he exclaimed as he took his seat beside her.

She was not in a mood for airy persiflage, as he soon discovered.

"Miss Castleton has gone up to town, Mr. Booth," she said rather lifelessly. "I have just taken her to the station. She caught the eight-thirty."

He was at once solicitous. "No bad news, I hope?" There was no thought in his mind that her absence was other than temporary.

"She is not coming back, Brandon." She had not addressed him as Brandon before.

He stared. "You—you mean—" The words died on his lips.

"She is not coming back," she repeated.

An accusing gleam leaped into his eyes.

"What has happened, Mrs. Wrandall?" he asked.

She was quick to perceive the change in his voice and manner.

"She prefers to live apart from me. That is all."

"When was this decision reached?"

"But yesterday. Soon after she came in from her walk with you."

"Do—do you mean to imply that that had anything to do with her leaving your home?" he demanded, with a flush on his cheek.

She met his look without flinching. "It was the beginning."

"You—you criticised her? You took her to task—"

"I notified her that she was to marry Leslie Wrandall if she marries anyone at all," she said in a perfectly level tone.

"Good Lord, Mrs. Wrandall!"

"But she is not going to marry Leslie."

"I know it—I knew it yesterday," he cried triumphantly. "She loves me, Sara. Didn't she say as much to you?"

"Yes, Brandon, she loves you. But she will not be your wife."

"What is all this mystery? Why can't she be my wife? What is there to prevent?"

She regarded him with dark, inscrutable eyes. Many seconds passed before she spoke.

"Would you want her for your wife if you knew she had belonged to another man?"

He turned very cold. The palms of his hands were wet, as with ice-water. Something dark seemed to fall before his eyes.

"I will not believe that of her," he said, shaking his head with an air of finality.

"That is not an answer to my question."

"Yes, I would still want her," he declared steadily.

"I merely meant to put you to the harshest test," she said, and there was

"She—What?" Gasped Leslie's Mother.

relief in her voice. "She is a good girl, she is pure. I asked my question because until yesterday I had reason to doubt her."

"Good heavens, how could you doubt those honest, guiltless eyes of—"

She shook her head sadly. "To answer you I would have to reveal the secret that makes it impossible for her to become your wife, and that I cannot, will not do."

"Is it fair to me?"

"Perhaps not, but it is fair to her, and that is why I must remain silent."

"Before God, I shall know the truth—from her, if not from you—and—"

"If you love her, if you will be kind to her, you will let her go her way in peace."

He was struck by the somewhat sinister earnestness of her words.

"Tell me where I may find her," he said, setting his jaw.

"It will not be difficult for you to find her," she said, frowning, "if you insist on pursuing her."

"You drive her away from your house, Sara Wrandall, and yet you expect me to believe that your motives are friendly. Why should I accept your word as final?"

"I did not drive her away, nor did I ask her to stay."

He stared hard at her.

"Good Lord, what is the meaning of all this?" he cried in perplexity? "What am I to understand?"

The car had come to a stop under the porte cochere. She laid her hand on his arm.

"If you will come in with me, Brandon, I will try to make things clear to you."

He left in half an hour, walking rapidly down the drive, his coat buttoned closely, although the morning was hot and breathless. He held in his hand a small scrap of paper on which was written. "If I loved you less, I would come to you now and lie to you. If you love me, Brandon, you will let me go my way. It is the only course. Sara is my friend, and she is yours. Be guided by her, and believe in my love for you. Hetty."

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And now, as things go in fairy stories, we should prepare ourselves to see Hetty pass through a season in drudgery and hardship, with the ultimate quintessence of joy as the reward for her trials and tribulations. Happily, this is not a fairy tale. There are some things more fantastic than fairy tales, if they are not spoiled in the telling. Hetty did not go forth to encounter drudgery, disdain and obloquy. By no manner of means! She went with a well-filled purse, a definite purpose ahead and a determined factor behind.

In a manner befitting her station as the intimate friend of Mrs. Challis Wrandall, as the cousin of the Murgatroyds, as the daughter of Colonel Castleton of the Indian corps, as a person supposed to be possessed of independent means withal, she went, with none to question, none to cavil.

Sara had insisted on this, as much for her own sake as for Hetty's; she argued, and she had prevailed in the end. What would the world think, what would their acquaintances think, and above all what would the high and mighty Wrandalls think if she went with meek and lowly mien?

Why should they make it possible for anyone to look askance?

And so it was that she departed in state, with a dozen trunks and boxes; an obsequiously attended seat in the parlor car was hers; a telegram in her bag assured her that rooms were being reserved for herself and maid at the Ritz-Carlton; alongside it reposed a letter to Mr. Carroll, instructing him to provide her with sufficient funds to carry out the plan agreed upon; and in the seat behind sat the lady's maid who had served her for a twelvemonth and more.

The timely demise of the venerable Lord Murgatroyd afforded the most natural excuse for her trip to England. The old nobleman gave up the ghost, allowing for difference in time, at the very moment when Mrs. Redmond Wrandall was undoing a certain package from London, which turned out to be a complete history of what his forbears had done in the way of propagation since the fourteenth century.

Hetty did not find it easy to accommodate her pride to the plan which was to give her a fresh and rather imposing start in the world. She was to have a full year in which to determine whether she should accept toil and poverty as her lot, or emulate the symbolic example of Dicky, the canary bird. At the end of the year, unless she did as Dicky had done, her source of supplies would be automatically cut off and she would be entirely dependent upon her own wits and resources. In the interim she was a probationary person of leisure. It had required hours of persuasion on the part of Sara Wrandall to bring her into line with these arrangements.

"But I am able and willing to work for my living," had been Hetty's stubborn retort to all the arguments brought to bear upon her.

"Then let me put it in another light. It is vital to me, of course, that you should keep up the show of affluence for a while at least. I think I have made that clear to you. But here is another side to the matter; the question of recompense."

"Recompense?" cried Hetty sharply.

"Without your knowing it, I have virtually held you a prisoner all these months, condemned in my own judgment if not in the sight of the law. I have taken the law unto myself. You were not convicted of murder in this unitarian court of mine, but of another sin. For fifteen months you have been living under the shadow of a crime you did not commit. I was reserving complete punishment for you in the shape of an ignoble marriage, which was to have served two bitter ends. Well, I had the truth from you. I believe you to be absolutely innocent of the charge I held over you, for which I condemned you without a hearing. Then, why should I not employ my own means of making restitution?"

"You have condescended to believe in me. That is all I ask."

"True, that is all you ask. But is it altogether the fair way out of it? To illustrate: our criminal laws are less kind to the innocent than to the guilty. Our law courts find a man guilty and he is sent to prison. Later on, he is found to be innocent—absolutely innocent. What does the state do in the premises? It issues a formal pardon—a mockery, pure and simple—and the man is set free. It all comes to a curt, belated apology for an error on the part of justice. No substantial recompense is offered. He is merely pardoned for something he didn't do. The state, which has wronged him, condescends to pardon him! Think of it! It is the same as if a man knocked another down and then said, before he removed his foot from the victim's neck: 'I pardon you freely.' My father was opposed to the system we have—that all countries have—of pardoning men who have been unjustly condemned. The innocent victim is pardoned in the same manner as the guilty one who comes in for clemency. I accept my father's contention that an innocent man should not be shamed and humiliated by a pardon. The court which tried him should reopen the case and honorably acquit him of the crime. Then the state should pay to this innocent man, dollar for dollar, all that he might have earned during his term of imprisonment, with an additional amount for the suffering he has endured. Not long ago in an adjoining state a man, who had served seventeen years of a life sentence for murder, was found to be wholly innocent. What happened? A pardon was handed to him and he walked out of prison, broken in spirit, health and purse. His small fortune had been wiped out in the futile effort to prove his innocence. He gave up seventeen years of his life and then was pardoned for the sacrifice. He should have been paid for every day spent in

He Stood Looking Down Into Her Serious Blue Eyes.

prison. That was the very least they could have done."

"I see now what you mean," mused Hetty. "I have never thought of it in that way before."

"Well, it comes to this in our case, Hetty: I have tried you all over again in my own little court and I have acquitted you of the charge I had against you. I do not offer you a silly pardon. You must allow me to have my way in this matter, to choose my own means of compensating you for—"

"You saved my life," protested Hetty, shaking her head obstinately.

"My dear, I appreciate the fact that you are English," said Sara, with a weary smile, "but won't you please see the point?"

Then Hetty smiled too, and the way was easier after that for Sara. She gained her quixotic point, and Hetty went away from Southlook feeling that no woman in all the world was so bewildering as Sara Wrandall.

When she sailed for England, two days later, the newspapers announced that the beautiful and attractive Miss Castleton was returning to her native land on account of the death of Lord Murgatroyd, and would spend the year on the continent, where probably she would be joined later on by Mrs. Wrandall, whose period of mourning and distress had been softened by the constant and loyal friendship of "this exquisite Englishwoman."

Four hundred miles out at sea she was overtaken by wireless messages from three persons.

Brandon Booth's message said: "I am sailing tomorrow on a faster ship than yours. You will find me waiting for you on the landing stage." Her heart gave a leap to dizzy heights, and, try as she would, she could not crush it back to the depths in which it had dwelt for days.

The second bit of pale green paper contained a cry from a most unexpected source: "Cable your London address. S. refuses to give it to me. I think I understand the situation. We want to make amends for what you have had to put up with during the year. She has shown her true nature at last." It was signed "Leslie."

From Sara came these cryptic words: "For each year of famine there will come seven years of plenty."

All the way across the Atlantic she lived in a state of subdued excitement. Conflicting emotions absorbed her waking hours but her dreams were all of one complexion: rosy and warm and full of a joyousness that distressed her vastly when she recalled them to mind in the early morning hours. During the day she intermittently hoped and feared that he would be on the landing stage. In any event, she was bound to find unhappiness. If he were there her joy would be short-lived and blighting; if he were not there, her disappointment would be equally hard to bear.

He was there. She saw him from the deck of the tender as they edged up to the landing. His tall figure loomed in the front rank against the rail that held back the crowd; his sun-bronzed face wore a look of eager expectancy; from her obscured position in the shadow of the deck building, purposely chosen for reasons only too obvious, she could even detect the alert, swift-moving scrutiny that he fastened upon the crowd.

Later on, he stood looking down into her serious blue eyes; her hands were lying limp in his. His own eyes were dark with earnestness, with the restraint that had fastened itself upon him. Behind her stood the respectful but immeasurably awed maid, who could not, for the life of her, understand how a man could be on both sides of the Atlantic at one and the same time.

"Thank the Lord, Hetty, say I, for the five-day boats," he was saying.

"You should not have come, Brandon," she cried softly, and the look of misery in her eyes was tinged with a glow she could not suppress. "It only makes everything harder for me. I—I— Oh, I wish you had not come!"

"But isn't it wonderful?" he cried, "that I should be here and waiting for you! It is almost inconceivable. And you were in the act of running away from me, too. Oh, I have that much of the tale from Sara, so don't look so hurt about it."

"I am so sorry you came," she repeated, her lip trembling.

Noting her emotion, he gave her hands a fierce, encouraging pressure and immediately released them.

"Come," he said gently; "I have booked for London. Everything is arranged. I shall see to your luggage. Let me put you in the carriage first."

(To Be Continued.)

Get Foreign Money Orders from the Foreign Department of the First National Bank, in the basement at 129 W. Main street. All languages spoken.

18,000 United States Troops Will Guard Mexican Border When New Men Arrive.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Orders for the dispatch of two more regiments to Texas will result in the assembly in that state of nearly 18,000 troops, more by 3,000 than the entire force of the regular army which General Shafter led into Cuba. Nearly 11,000 of these soldiers are in camp in Texas City, under command of Brigadier General Fred Funston of Philippine fame. The others are scattered along the border from Brownsville, Tex., to Nogales, Ariz., under command of Brigadier General Tasker H. Bliss, the largest being at El Paso, Nogales, Douglas, Laredo, Eagle Pass and Brownsville, where the railroads from the United States enter Mexico.

Of the two regiments ordered out the Ninth, two battalions of which are at Fort Thomas, opposite Cincinnati and one at Fort Logan H. Roots, is commanded by Colonel Charles J. Crane. The Seventeenth, commanded by Colonel John T. Van Orsdale, is stationed at Fort McPherson, near Atlanta. Colonel Van Orsdale is to be retired because of age limit.

Although the two regiments will proceed to Eagle Pass and Laredo, General Bliss will designate their exact location. The strength of each regiment is 832 men. At Laredo and Eagle Pass the two regiments will relieve six troops of cavalry, which will be distributed along other points on the western border in General Bliss' discretion. This will place under that general's comand about 4,200 cavalry troops and 3,400 infantry. Though large in the aggregate, this force is regarded as small in many quarters here for a rigid and efficient patrol of the 1,800 miles of border between the United States and Mexico.

1 NINTH REGIMENT ON MARCH. 2 TROOPS PACKING AT FORT McPHERSON FOR BORDER. 3 BRIGADIER GENERAL FUNSTON. 4 BRIGADIER GENERAL BLISS.

DUNBAR

DUNBAR, March 14.—A victrola concert will be given tonight at the Presbyterian Church. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the Dunbar borough schools.

Colonial Theatre, Dunbar, Monday and Tuesday evenings, "The Musicians." Prof. Roberts and Lily Roberts in vaudeville. Admission 10 and 15.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wishart of Connellsville entertained at five hundred Thursday night at their Grandview farm. These present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunn, Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Gule, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGibbons, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Duncan and William Jacobs of Dunbar; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Treher, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Miller and Miss Sara Everett, of Connellsville; Mr. and Mrs. William Wishart of Trotter. Luncheon was served at a late hour. The guests returned home on the 1.15 Pennsylvania train.

Miss Edward Hay spent Friday at Revere the guest of friends.

Services Sunday in the Methodist Protestant Church by Rev. T. M. Gladden. Sunday school at 9.45. Sermon at 11 A. M. Subject "Fruit of the Spirit." Sermon at 7.30. Subject, "Excellence of Things Ordinary."

Services Sunday in the Presbyterian Church as follows: Sabbath school at 9.45. Sermon at 11 A. M. Subject, "As He Thinks in His Heart So is He." Christian Endeavor at 6.45. At 7.30 sermon. Subject "Ye Are the Salt of the Earth." Bible Study class meets Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Wilson.

Rev. T. M. Gladden spent Friday night at Hopwood attending the revival being held their by Mrs. Emma Dower. On next Friday night a delegation will go from here to Hopwood to attend the revival meetings.

The Dunbarthin Society met in Room No. 7 yesterday. The following program was carried out: Recitation, Emma Folta; reading, Daniel Baker; recitation, Irene Wilson; queries, Daniel Baker; essay, Wayne Rankin; society paper, Jane Greaves; debate, Resolved, That United States Coastwise Vessels Should Not Have to Pay Toll on the Panama Canal," affirmative, Ruth McGuigan and Gertrude Nelson and negative Ralph Gibson and Ray Moyer. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative.

Mrs. J. S. Barnes left for Ohio this morning where she will spend a week with relatives.

Mrs. Ella Hamilton was shopping in Connellsville today.

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, March 14.—The Sentinel is the only high school journal published by a high school in Fayette county. It is published monthly by the students of Dunbar township high school. It is entered as second class mail matter at Leisenring. The staff that has charge of the journal is as follows: Editor, Joseph R. Forsythe; assistant editor, Ardis Edwards business manager, Clarence Strawn; assistant business manager, William J. Shappard; exchange editor, Mary Nevada McLaughlin; athletic editors, Margaret Byers and Mayme Shallenberger.

The above staff desires much credit for their successful work. It has been published for two years.

Mrs. Frank Madden and Mrs. J. W. Madigan were Dawson callers yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Snyder was a recent Connellsville caller.

S. K. Knight of Cleveland, O., was a business caller here on Friday.

Mrs. A. A. Arison of Dawson, was calling on her sister, Mrs. Oda Gray yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Addis were recent Connellsville callers.

Westinghouse Plant Idle.

PITTSBURG, March 14.—Twenty five thousand men were idle yesterday in Turtle Creek valley out of respect to the late George Westinghouse. He was a factor in the industry in that section which was ordered closed until after his funeral.

STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, March. 14.—Miss Josephine Myers is calling on friends at Uniontown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Echard, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stickel, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Stickel and Mrs. Stillwagon attended the funeral of Mrs. Joseph Echard at Connellsville yesterday.

Services in the churches tomorrow will be as follows. Methodist Episcopal—Sunday school, 10 A. M.; preaching, 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Baptist—Sunday school, 2 P. M.; preaching, 3 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.

A number of persons from this place attended the lecture in the high school building at Perryopolis last night.

D. L. Fall of Buffalo, N. Y., was a business caller in town yesterday.

James Wallace of Mill Run, is visiting relatives in town.

H. C. Haustead of Pittsburg, was a caller in town yesterday.

STAR JUNCTION, March 13.—H. M. McDonald of Dawson, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Rev. M. S. Blair of Perryopolis, was a caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. O. S. Blair and Mrs. William Short attended a meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Church at the home of Mrs. Harrington at Perryopolis.

J. H. Roberts of Pittsburg, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. Fisher Dunham and daughter Emma, were visiting relatives at Dawson yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Dailey of Perryopolis, is visiting relatives in town.

John Lang is visiting friends and relatives in town.

L. L. Willis of McKeesport, was a business caller in town yesterday.

DICKERSON RUN.

DICKERSON RUN, March 14.—A revival meeting has been in progress at the Cochran Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church at Dawson for two weeks with much success. The meetings have been conducted by the regular pastor, H. A. Baum. On last Sunday there was a special meeting held for men and the meeting was a success in every way and the church was crowded. And by the meeting being a success spiritually it was decided to hold another meeting for men tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

DICKERSON RUN, March 13.—Mrs. Bert Ware and children of Second avenue, Scottdale, are spending a few days here visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas St. John.

T. D. Schuyler was transacting business at McKeesport yesterday.

R. J. Moran was a Dawson business caller last evening.

Miss Mary Wilhelm is visiting relatives and friends at Uniontown.

Carl Boyd of Brownsville, was the guest of friends here yesterday.

Rev. H. A. Baum of Dawson, was calling on friends here yesterday afternoon.

Sharon May Get New Steel Plant.

Provided the Sharon Civic Association donates a free site, the American Pressed Steel Rail Company of Pittsburg will erect a large plant in that city. According to William Biggs, secretary and treasurer of the company, the concern will expend $750,000 for the plant which will give employment to 200 hands.

EARNINGS ARE GOOD

High Efficiency Results in Neat Surplus for Pittsburg Coal.

The report of the Pittsburg Coal Company for the year ended December 31, 1913, shows an increase in total production of 644,832 tons, or 2.68 per cent; an increase in gross earnings of $739,273, or 12.8 per cent, and an increase in net earnings of $700,755, or 34 per cent. The net earnings were in excess of 10 per cent on the preferred stock outstanding, after payment of an increase in taxes, personal injury settlements and marine losses over 1912 of $287,000.

Up to October 1, or during the first nine months of the year, the increase in tonnage was 6.68 per cent, but the recession in general business during the last three months of the year reduced the net increase in tonnage to 2.68 per cent for the full year. The large increase in net earnings, despite the relatively small increase in output, indicates the application of efficiency to the different plants.

The Pittsburg Coal Company now owns all of the capital stock of the River Coal Company except about one-half of one per cent and for the first time it includes the results of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Company in its report for the year ended December 31, 1913.

HURRY SHIPMENTS.

Coke Dealers Give Attention to This Rather Than Sales.

Shipments of coke have been seriously hindered the past week, and in a number of cases dealers are giving more attention to the tracing of cars and urging railroads to hurry deliveries than to securing new contracts, says the incumatic correspondent of the Daily Iron Trade.

The market is quiet as to new business, but requisitions to forward shipments on old contracts are heavy. Prices are unchanged in the Wise county, Pocahontas and New River districts, but quotations for prompt delivery on both Connellsville furnace and foundry coke have been advanced here to $2 and $2.50 per ton, ovens, respectively.

MOTORCYCLE EXHIBITED.

Madigan & Stilwell Showing 1914 Model of the Indian.

Quite a little interest has been manifested in the 1914 model Indian motorcycle on exhibition in the West Penn pharmacy by Madigan & Stilwell. The new machine is equipped with a complete electrical system, starter, head and tail lights, and horn, all being supplied by a high amperage storage battery. A Corbin-Brown rear drive speedometer is another feature. The famous Indian cradle spring frame and fork and large folding footboards, combine to make this machine one of the most comfortable of motor driven vehicles.

MILL ORDERS PLACED.

Canton Concern Prepares to Roll Vanadium Steel Products.

The National Roller Foundry Company, Avonmore, Pa., has received a contract for a combination 19-inch and 14-inch Belgian guide mill for installation in the plant of the United Steel Company, Canton, O.

The mill will be used for rolling vanadium steel products.

SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES.

Church notices must reach this office by 9 A. M. Saturday; those received later cannot be printed. No notices will be received by telephone.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Corner South Pittsburg and Baldwin avenue, Rev. Wilbur Nelson, pastor. Rev. Davis acting pastor in Mr. Nelson's absence. Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Morning worship at 11. Subject of sermon, "Prayer." Baptist Young People's Union services at 6.45. Subject, "Well Stored Memories." E. Stanley Crowe leader. Evening services of an evangelistic nature at 7.30. Mr. Davis is a very forceful speaker, as all who have heard him will agree. Be sure and hear him on Sunday evening. Remember every one is welcome to all of our services, strangers especially. If you are a traveling man, drop in and make this your church home while in our city. Evening sermon preceded by an enthusiastic song service. We want you. Come, won't you? Union prayer meeting Wednesday.

THE METHODIST PROTESTANT Church, R. E. Calins, pastor. Sabbath School at 10 A. M. Morning service at 11. Communion and reception of members. C. E. Society at 6.45 P. M. Leader, George Swallop. Evening service at 7.30. Sermon by pastor.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH. The Confirmation Class will meet at 9 A. M., and the Bible School at 10 A. M. The pastor, Rev. Ellis B. Burgess, will conduct divine services at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Morning sermon, "A Son of the Temple." Evening sermon, "Benoni or Benjamin." The stranger is cordially invited to all services.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN Church J. L. Proudfit, pastor. Services in the Colonial Theatre. Communicants' Class at 9.30. Sabbath School at 9.45. Morning service at 11; subject of sermon, "Which Way Shall I Take?" Christian Endeavor at 6.30. Wednesday evening prayer meeting in the Baptist Church.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY, Room 8, second floor, Fayette Title & Trust Building, Uniontown. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sermon subject, "Substance."

THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL Church, Rev. R. C. Wolf, pastor. Services at 11 A. M., and 7.30 P. M. Preaching at both services by the pastor. Sabbath School at 9.45 A. M. Epworth League devotional service at 6.30 P. M. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7.30 P. M. Junior League Friday from 4 to 5 o'clock.

GERMAN LUTHERAN ST. JOHN'S Church on Carnegie avenue and East South street. George Dietz, pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. The anniversary of the Ladies' Aid Society will be observed. Subject of sermon taken from St. John IV, 27-42. Sunday School at 9 o'clock. Confirmation Class on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church, South Pittsburg street and Morton avenue, Rev. William J. Riverhart, minister. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon topic: "The Gospel of Tears." Sermon text: Jeremiah 9:1. Evening worship at 7.45. Sermon topic: "In Touch With Christ." Sermon text: Luke 8: 43-48. Sabbath school at 9.45 A. M. Juniors at 3 P. M., Mrs. J. F. Kerr leader. Intermediates at 3 P. M., leader Angeline Gigliatto. Senior Young People's Christian Union at 6.45 P. M. Topic: "Well Stored Memories." 1 Cor. 15: 1-10; Mrs. E. H. Moorman leader. Special services every night next week but Saturday night. Rev. R. F. Galbreath of Woodlawn, will do the preaching. Everyone welcome. Come.

THE FIRST UNITED BRETHREN Church, C. W. Winey, pastor. Sunday School at 9.45 A. M. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon by pastor. Juniors at 2 P. M. C. E. Society at 6.30 P. M. Leader, Hilda Bridegum. Evening worship at 7.30. Sermon by pastor. The third study of Matthew at our mid week service. Strangers welcome.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH, South Pittsburg and Green streets, Rev. C. E. Wagner, pastor. Sunday School at 9.45 A. M. Congregational services at 11 A. M., and 7.30 P. M. Morning sermon, "A Tribute of Admiration." Evening sermon, "Let's Wife." We invite you to worship with us if you have no regular place of attending. All are welcome. Pastor's class for instruction in church membership meets Sunday afternoon at 2.30 in the church. Midweek prayer and lenten service Wednesday evening at 7.30.

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